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31 DECEMBER 1968

LIVER FUNCTION TESTS

On 24 October 1968, I saw Dr. Daly of the Bio-chemistry Laboratory of West London Hospital for liver function tests. My family doctor, Dr. Hodes, sent me to Daly as a private patient, as British practice is not to take these tests unless the patient's condition seems to be worsening. My doctor thought I showed no signs of a recurrence of hepatitis and the normal practice would have been, at most, for me to have been examined by the specialist at the hospital, who might then decide to ask for the tests.

Daly said that all required tests, except the B.S.P., would be done. He said he thought the B.S.P. unnecessary unless the others indicated negative factors. In which case, he said he would ask me to come in again for that test.

Daly will send me the results of the tests and his bill c/o American Express, Rome, within a week.

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STATEMENT of EARNINGS and DEDUCTIONS

NAME	EMPLOYEE NO.	PAY PERIOD DATE	ROLL	COST CENTER	STA
CRPHONE 1	802799	12/01 12/31 1968	20	1242930	000

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80	89000		CPA EX CR
96	8000		FED TAX F

REMARKS:

Changing tax code for the quarter and reducing tax to $80.00 per memo, dated JULY 1968.

EMPLOYEE NUMBER:

802799 ORPHONE

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TO
Chief, WOLIME

INFO.
Chief of Station, London
Chief, EUR Division

FROM
Chief, LCPIPIT/London JBM

SUBJECT DTDORIC/Operational
QRPHONE

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

1. After considering several alternatives and given QRPHONE/1's lack of financial forward planning, LCPIPIT believes that it would be beneficial and advantageous for WOFIRM to offer to subsidize a portion of an overt life insurance program designed to give him both life insurance and a cash value toward retirement. We have discussed this with QRPHONE/1 and he has agreed to the desirability of such a program. He is willing to participate in such an arrangement and has undertaken to explore the possibilities available to him. We are forwarding under separate cover a copy of several proposals which he has received from the local representative of a reputable WOLADY insurance firm.

2. LCPIPIT requests authority to subsidize up to 1/2 of the cost of a life insurance program for QRPHONE/1. (This WOFIRM portion not to exceed $50 per month.) From an administration standpoint this would merely take the form of an increased monthly payment and we would take the necessary steps to verify that the funds were indeed being devoted to their designated purpose.

ACL
Aaron C. LAGINESTRA

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As stated above

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representing

MUTUAL LIFE OF NEW YORK

(MONY)

31 QUEEN ANNE'S GATE

LONDON, S.W.1

01-926 9719

13 September 1968

Dear

The following will give you an idea of the protection, cash at 65, and retirement income you will get under three different plans on the basis we discussed on the phone. Let me know if you need any more information.

Premium -	$50/month	$ 75/month	$100/month
Plan Type			
Whole Life			
Death Benefit	23000	35000	47000
Cash at 65	21200	33100	44400
Life Income @ 65	133	207	278
Endowment at 65			
Death Benefit	17000	25000	33000
Cash at 65	25600	38100	50300
Life Income @ 65	160	239	315
Retirement Endowment @ 65			
Death Benefit	11000	17000	23000
Cash at 65	25300	39100	52900
Life Income @ 65	158	245	331

I look forward to hearing from you in the near future.

1 - The retirement income figures are monthly income at 65 using the 10 year certain option

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Note:

I would be willing to put up, or have deducted, part of such a scheme, say $25 a month.

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2 - Any figures concerning dividends are not guarantees nor estimates since dividends depend upon future experience and the annual action of the companies trustees

3 - All figures are in the US dollars and based on standard male issue at age 37.

Sincerely,

Spencer

J Spencer Langford, C. L. U.

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TO LCPIPIT INFO LONDON, ROME

RYBAT DTDORIC QRPHONE MHPROBE

REFS: A. LCPIPIT 7508 (IN 08511)

B. OEPW - 405, 8 Oct 68

1. DEFER PARA 2 REF A TO ROME (PER OIRW-27586, TELEPOUCHED ~~TODAY~~ 9 OCT).

2. REF B, POUCHED 8 OCT, REPORTS GENERALLY SANGUINE MEDICAL PROGNOSIS QRPHONE/1 HEALTH FOLLOWING HEPATITIS, PERMITS SHORT TRIPS TO CONTINENT PROVIDED HE WATCHES DIET CAREFULLY AND DOES NOT OVER TIRE, UNTIL CLINICAL AND CHEMICAL TESTS RECOMMENDED IN REF B PRONOUNCE HIM FULLY RECOVERED.

3. FILE 200-124-156/3.

END OF MESSAGE

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FROM	Chief, WOLIME
SUBJECT	RYBAT/DTDORIC/ORPHONE ORPHONE/1 Physical Condition

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ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

REFERENCE: OEPA-1312, 10 September 1968

1. On the basis of the documentation submitted under reference dispatch, the Medical Staff feels that ORPHONE/1 made a surprisingly fast recovery and seems well on the way to complete health. However, the hospital report (a quick translation of which into English is attached for your ready reference), dated as it is, still reflects some inconclusive levels in the results of the various chemical tests shown. Undoubtedly these have by now been lowered to completely safe levels, since ORPHONE/1 apparently felt well enough to travel to France, but the Medical Staff believes it would be advisable for ORPHONE/1 to undergo another series of liver function tests, to include the following:

a. SGOT
b. SGPT
c. Bilirubin (1) Direct
(2) Indirect
(3) Total
d. B.S.P. (Bromsulfophthalein)
e. Serum Proteins
Albumin
Globulin
Total

We assume ORPHONE/1 has consulted his own physician on his return to the UK, but the Medical Staff has pointed out that clinical examination alone is not always sufficient to determine complete recovery from hepatitis.

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Attachment:
Hospital report

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DC/CA	8/10/68	Fred W. Valtin

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2. In terms of our operational utilization of QRPHONE/1 at this time, while they reserve finite comment until all the returns (per above) are in, the Medical Staff did stress the paramount importance of proper rest and of not over-taxing the strength of the agent, coupled with his strict adherence to regular, warm, balanced meals in accordance with the dietary restrictions usually imposed, and complete absence of alcohol, in order to prevent a relapse. So long as these caveats are adhered to, however, there is no reason why he could not make some more short trips during the next few months, if necessary. However, since he also has an office to set up and we would like him to concentrate on the Kambona offer, perhaps it would be a good idea to keep those trips to a minimum for the time being.

3. The Medical Staff will be glad to review any further chemical tests per para. 1 above suggestions, or any others which his doctor may have already run.

JULIA R. CONGREVE

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TO: Chief, WOLIME

INFO. Chief of Station, London
Chief, EUR Division

FROM: Acting Chief, LCPIPIT/London (PARFORTH Acting)

SUBJECT: DTDORIC/Operational
QRPHONE/Illness

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

1. At their meeting on 4 September QRPHONE/1 submitted a report to RODIGAST on his hospitalization for hepatitis. Attached to his report is a copy of this medical record with results of blood and urine analyses written in Serbo-Croatian. We are forwarding a copy of the report under separate cover for evaluation by the Medical Staff. We are interested in having as thorough as possible an evaluation made of QRPHONE/1's illness in order that we may assure ourselves of his condition and the degree to which he ought to be active in the forthcoming months. We will appreciate it if Headquarters will pursue this matter with the Medical Staff and advise us of its findings and recommendations.

2. Also forwarded under separate cover is a memorandum prepared from RODIGAST's notes which elaborates upon QRPHONE/1's symptoms.

Aaron C. LAGINESTRA

Attachment: u/s/c
1 - QRPHONE/1 Report & Medical Record
2 - Memorandum for the Record

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SEPARATE COVER ATTACHMENT 1 TO: OEPA-1312

HEPATITIS BOUT

What I had thought was a touch of malaria and the extreme fatigue I felt when I returned to London in July proved in time to have been acute infectious hepatitis. The disease -- which takes two to three weeks to develop -- was probably contracted in Uganda. At least, I imagine so because my principal contact in Kampala insisted on taking me to a number of local restaurants of dubious cleanliness to sample Uganda delicacies.

Hepatitis was diagnosed by a doctor in Komiza, Vis, where my family had been holidaying since the beginning of July, and I was hospitalized in the isolation section of Split Hospital (there is no hospital on Vis) on the 7th of August.

My liver was swollen by one finger and blood and urine analysis indicated a fairly severe infection. Treatment consisted of terramycin and cortisone therapy, with massive doses of vitamins.

I was put on a fat-free diet, which I have been told to follow for at least six months. Naturally, no alcohol.

On 20 August, I was released from the hospital, mainly because I was pestering the doctors to let me go. I was told to have ~~a~~ "absolute rest" for four to six weeks and to have another blood test within several weeks.

(Attached is the Yugoslav doctor's description of my case and treatment, with results of all blood and urine analyses. It is written ~~Croatian~~ in Serbo-Croatian.)

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SEPARATE COV[illegible] ATTACHMENT 2 TO:
OEPA-1312

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD 7 September 1968

SUBJECT: [redacted] Illness

1. The following information was obtained by [redacted] from [redacted]/1 at their meeting on 4 September 1968. It supplements the report which was submitted by [redacted]/1 which deals with his recent hospitalization for hepatitis.

2. Toward the end of his African trip [redacted]/1 had been feeling rather weak and nauseous, with no appetite. He was constipated, feverish and had gas pains. These symptoms persisted and after his return from Africa and on 6 August, while in Yugoslavia on vacation, [redacted]/1 suffered from acute gas pains and vomiting. He was taken from Vis, where he was vacationing, to Split where he was hospitalized. The address of this hospital is:

Opca Bolnica
Zarazni Odjel (Firule)
Split, Yugoslavia

His doctor was Dr. Juraj FILIPOVIC.

3. [redacted]/1's treatment was free inasmuch as he was able to show his British National Health Card and a reciprocity agreement exists between Britain and Yugoslavia.

4. [redacted]/1 states that at no time did he receive narcotics nor was he ever unconscious. During his stay in the hospital a young British youth (Derek WHITTAKER, age 19, from Shoreham-by-Sea, Surrey) was in his ward suffering from food poisioning.

Aaron C. LAGINESTRA

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10 Sept 68

Admitted to the section for infectious diseases 7. August, 1968

Observation: Malaria

Medical history: The patient had felt for about a week definite weakness, lack of appetite, an inclination to eructation and distress, a somewhat feverish temperature, heaviness under the right rib cage and in stomach.

Clinical observation under hair follicles showed: subicteric, afebrile, the liver + the epigastrium about 1. p.f., slight feeling accompanied by other regular findings.

Hepatitis tests showed damage of the liver parenchyma of an average nature, resembling infectious hepatitis.

Clinical course: Icterus progressed in the first 2 days, till corticostroide was introduced in the body, after which there began an improvement and the Icterus desappeared.

After 8 days the whitish-red desappeared from the urine, appetite was restored, abdomenal pains desappeared and after 13 days a control hepatogram was made / see findings /.

As it was necessary to continue

treatment of the disease, the patient asked to be discharged under medical supervision.

Diagnosis: Acute infectious hepatitis

Treatment: Only Serbo-Croatian words translated in this section. Names of drugs are English

Discharged - 20 Aug 1968 as recovered

The patient needs to observe absolute quiet + stay at home, follow diet as instructed, under supervision of doctor and control of hepatogram for about 14 days.

He will continue with the recommended medicines [medicines

not translated. Only Serbo-Croatian words translated [kroz 3 dana / for 3 days, kroz 5 dana / for 5 days]

and further depending on the condition of the patient /ULTer +bl/ while he takes dexason/

Translation penciled in on attachment, where meanings could be found.

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EPIKRIZA:

primljen na zarazni odjel 7.VIII.68. pod dg: Observatio-Malariae

Anamnestički: zadnj. oko tj. dn. dana osjeća izvjesnu slabost, napetost i nadutost, [illegible] eruktaciju, nevoljkost i subfebrilne temperature, te težinu pod desnim rebrenim lukom, i [illegible]. Klinički pregled [illegible] utvrdi se subikteričan, afebrilan, jetra opipljiva za oko 1 p.p., lagano osjetljiva uz uredan ostali nalaz.

Hepatalni testovi ukazuju na oštećenje jetrenog parenhima srednje jakog stupnja, odgovarajući slici infektivnog hepatitisa.

Klinički sub-ikterus progredira u prvih par dana, dok se ne uvede u terapiju kortikosteroide, nakon čega očito dolazi do poboljšanja općeg stanja, to išćezavanja ikterusa.

Nakon 8 dana nestaje bilirubin iz mokraće, apetit uspostavljen, abdominalne tegobe iščezavaju, te se nakon 15. dana napravi kontrolni hepatogram/vidi nalaz/.

Iako je bilo potrebno nastaviti liječenje u bolnici, bolesnik želi otp ust, to se uz upute otpušta.

DIAGNOZA: HEPATITIS INFECTIOSA ACUTA

LIJEČEN: Beviplex drag-C vit tbl-[illegible] cholin drag-Teria [illegible] caps-Dexason amp i tbl-Ulter tbl-Antipernicin amp+[illegible] amp+ Aneurin amp-Digestal tbl-dijeta.

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Potrebno je nastaviti apsolutno mirovanje u kućnoj njezi, dijetalnu ishranu po uputi, te kontrolu liječnika, te kontrolu hepatograma za oko 10-14 dana.

Od lijekova preporuča se nastaviti Beviplex drag 3x2-[illegible] cholin drag 3x2-[illegible] caps 4x1-Dexason tbl/4x1 kroz 3 dana, 3x1-2 dana, 2x1 kroz 3 dana, a dalje prema stanju bolesnika/ Ulter tbl/dok uzima dexason/-

Odjelni liječnik:
/dr. J. Filipović/

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Globulin

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SGPT=7oo W.j.
SE=12mm
L=4.1oo
DKS: eo 1, st 5, seg.31, Ly 56, mo 7
E=4,14o.ooo
Hb: 86%
I.B.=1,o
Fe=242 gamma %
Cu=15o " "
Gusta kap - drop of blood
Razmaz krvi - smear
malarija ø - malaria

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Sed: nešto L i sluzi - some L in service
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DIRECTOR INFO LONDON

RYBAT DTDORIC QRPHONE

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1. QRPHONE/1 MET 4 SEPTEMBER IN BRUSSELS. HE NOW UP AND ABOUT FOLLOWING HOSPITALIZATION FOR HEPATITUS BUT MUST SEVERELY RESTRICT ACTIVITIES FOR AT LEAST NEXT MONTH. SOME ITEMS OF INTEREST OBTAINED WHICH BEING FORWARDED BY TM.

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REMARKS:

Amendment for additional compensation and tax liability increased from $870.00 to $890.00 per month for free compensation at $800.00 per month, effective 1 July 1968. Actual amount of tax liability increased from $70.00 to $90.00 per month, for the July 1968 pay period.

EMPLOYEE NUMBER: QRPHONE - 1

802799

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Chief of Station, London/LCPIPIT

Office of Finance

Increased Federal Income Tax Liability - QRPHONE-1, Employee No. 802799

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In compliance with the recent Enactment of the Revenue and Expenditure Control Act of 1968, Subject's tax liability has increased from $70.00 to $90.00 per month. This represents the additional Surtax charge and begins with the July 1968 pay period. Effective 1 December 1968 (1969 tax year) the tax liability will be reduced to $80.00 per month. The Station should effect the change and continue to T/A tax withholdings to Headquarters.

HARRIET C. VINCOLEER

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Zarazni Odjel
(Firule)
Split
Yugoslavia
13 August 1968.

Dear Mrs. Randall,

Unexpectedly, I found myself in this hospital in Split, Yugoslavia, on the 7th of August, confined to the isolation ward with a fairly rough case of infectious hepatitis, undoubtedly picked up in West Africa. (They tell me the incubation period is about 3 weeks.) In any case, I am hoping to be released from here in another 10 or 15 days at the most. The treatment is good and seems thorough. My biggest problem was originally linguistic. I still speak with the doctors, who know no English, in German or Italian, but my knowledge of Serbo-Croatian has increased steadily with the injections, blood testing and intravenous injections of glucosaline solution, etc.

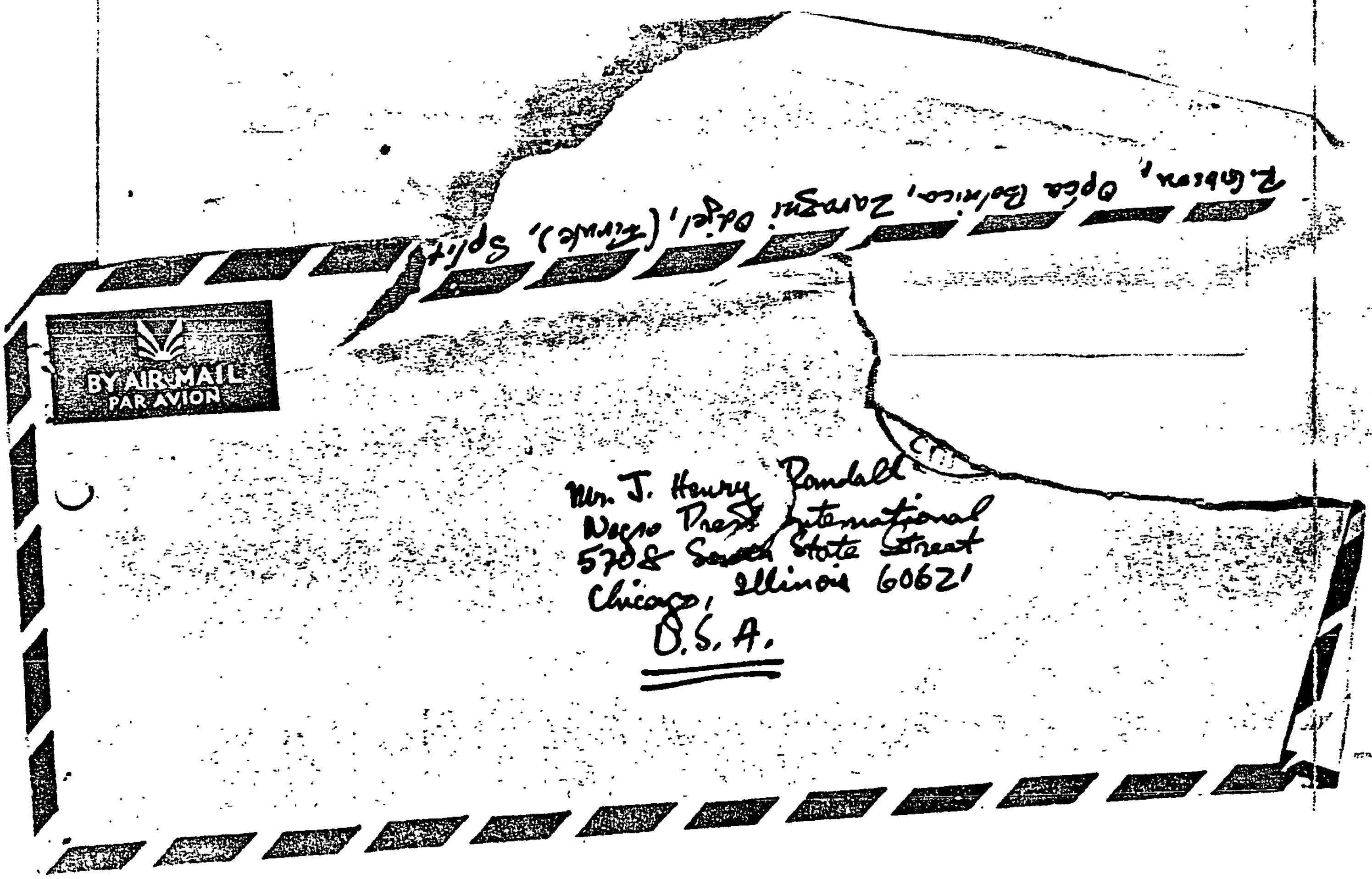
The urgency behind this note is, through you, to inform the firm of my condition. I hope to return to London — without many, if any, days on the beach — as planned, but I am told that I should restrict my activities physically for another month. There are many things to do in Britain and on the Continent, but I regret not being able to undertake the conference assignment in September, at

least, I do not think my strength will be sufficiently restored for that event. Anyway, we shall see...

Fortunately, my family is on Vis, an island 5 hours boatride from Split, and have not had their vacation completely ruined because of me. Since this is an isolation hospital for infectious diseases, no visitors are allowed and there is no temptation or urgency on my wife to make that lengthy crossing just to see me. For me, also, my holiday on the beach in the sun has simply turned into lying on my back in a hot room, but it could be worse and I hope to be up and about in the next week or two, at most. I feel certain that I will be able to meet all my minor commitments in London and elsewhere at the beginning of September but wanted to draw the firm's attention, as soon as possible, to my possible inability to handle another big assignment immediately.

Very sincerely yours,

Richard Gibson



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6 Aug 68 (NY)
Re: The "Guardian," Formerly Known as "National Guardian," Weekly Guardian Associates, Inc.
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STATEMENT of EARNINGS and DEDUCTIONS

NAME	EMPLOYEE NO	PAY PERIOD DATE	ROLL	COST CENTER	STA
QRPHONE 1	802799	04/01 04/30	20	1249062	000

CD	EARNINGS		DESCRIPTION
	NORMAL	OTHER	
09	74600		REG SAL

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T/A 270 from London transferred taxes for the month of Dec., Jan., and Feb. in the amount of $210.00. $70.00 for each. payrolled was $46.00 each month, adjustment made herewith. Sub-object code changes for Accounting Only.

EMPLOYEE NUMBER:
QRPHONE/1

802799

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TO LCPIPIT INFO LONDON

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REF: OEPA 1003, 19 MARCH 68

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April 66

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SIGNED: Aaron C Laginestra
Aaron C. LAGINESTRA
Case Officer

REVIEWED AND APPROVED:

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Adrian B. MASLOTT
Chief, LCPIPIT

Date

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23 April 1968

MEMORANDUM FOR: C/CA/SG

VIA: DC/CA

SUBJECT: QRPHONE/1 Memorandum of Oral Commitment

1. Forwarded herewith is the original revised MOC for QRPHONE/1, submitted by LCPIPIT under OEPA - 1003, dated 19 March 1968. The field requests notification of approval.

2. The MOC appears to cover adequately all points previously at issue; it is therefore requested that, subject to DC/CA approval and CA/PERS and CA/B&F concurrence, the attached outgoing cable to LCPIPIT signifying this approval be coordinated and released.

3. It is also requested that the MOC be further transmitted to the Office of Finance, via appropriate administrative procedures.

DIANE L. CHATELAN
Chief, CA/CF

Attachments: 2
MOC for QRPHONE/1
Cable to field

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Who said he is CIA agent.

1. Andersson said Hamza Alavi told Franz Fanon Institute in 1964 Gibson an Am. agent (EB rept. 18/2/66)

2. William Demby said he had recently been assured by Ignazio Silone Gibson was a CIA agent (Gibson had not seen Silone since 1952) (20/2/66 – EB Rome rept.) (Demby said he had been accused of the same thing, by whom unspecified.)

3. "British" professor, China hand, told Franz Fanon Institute.

Leslie Gibson
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BRITISH VISA GRANTED

On 10 April 68, I was finally granted a British visa, without restrictions, valid until 15 Feb. 1969. No questions were asked when I went to the Home Office to get the visa.

My Home Office file number is: G 110880.

From the Metropolitan Police, I received Aliens Registration Certificate E 662567, which lists me as correspondent for Negro Press International.

I was told by the police that I could apply within a year to have the registration requirement waivered because I am married to a British subject. Moreover, I am free to take any sort of employment or open a business without restrictions or having to request permission from the Ministry of Labour.

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HOME OFFICE

Princeton House, 271 High Holborn, London W.C.1
Telegrams: Aldep, London WC1
Telephone 01-405 4321
Telex 261867

Please address any reply to
THE UNDER SECRETARY
OF STATE
and quote: G 11 0180
Your reference:

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Name	
Nationality U.S.C.	Date of Birth 17.5.31
Passport Particulars U.S. Passport no. issued on 1.12.65.	

This is to certify that the bearer of this letter, named above, does not require to obtain permission of the Ministry of Labour or of the Home Office before taking employment, either paid or unpaid, in Great Britain. (For work in Northern Ireland the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland should be consulted.) The bearer is free, so far as the Home Office is concerned, to set up in business, subject to any statutory laws and regulations governing the business or professional activities in which he/~~she~~ may be interested.

This letter should be retained for production to the Ministry of Labour or other authority if required.

W.J. Griffiths.

for Under Secretary of State

TM# 072385/ 23/4/68

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INLAND REVENUE MONOLOGUE (required)

Until April of this year (1968), I lived mainly on assistance from my wife's family and occasional freelance journalism outside Britain. Also, I had some savings and investments in America and Switzerland to draw upon. My brother-in-law, Gordon Kaye, purchased a house at 32 Hartswood Road, Stamford Brook, London, W.12 for us — the price of the house being considered a loan to be repaid over the years as is possible. My children's school fees were paid by convenant by my brother-in-law, as well as a grant in convenant to my youngest daughter.

I was not a legal resident of the U.K. until 8 April 1968, and on that date I began officially my duties as Overseas Representative and Correspondent for Negro Press International of Chicago, with a salary of $300 per month.

TM# 072385, 23/4/68

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My brother-in-law asked me to send him from abroad the following lètter, which I mailed on 16 April 68 from Rotterdam.

XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX

Jeffreys, Henry Rxx Rudolph & Marks
Lee House
Londonx Wall, E.C.2

Dear Sirs,

In response to the Inspector's request, I confirm that I have xxxx authorized my wife, Mrs. , to apply for Monique's income repayment for 1967. And I also confirm that she has no other incomex other than the XXXX Covenant for that year.

Yours faithfully,

TM# 072385, 23/4/68

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FROM: Chief, LCPIPIT/London		MICROFILM
SUBJECT: DTDORIC/MHPROBE/Operational QRPHONE/Memorandum of Oral Commitment		

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

References: A. OEPW-160, dated 18 October 1967
B. OEPA-240, dated 21 September 1967

1. Forwarded under separate cover is a revised Memorandum of Oral Commitment covering the WOFIRM relationship with QRPHONE/1. This revision reflects most of the suggestions made in Reference A.

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3. We request that this revised Memorandum of Oral Commitment be approved, and that we be so notified.

Aaron C. LAGINESTRA

Attachment: u/s/c
Memorandum

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Case Officer

REVIEWED AND APPROVED:

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Adrian B. MASLOTT
Chief, LCPIPIT

Date

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: QRPHONE/1 FINANCES

1. This memorandum outlines a new procedure which is to be followed in the handling of the operational costs of field agent QRPHONE/1. This new procedure is being instituted in order to enhance the security and compartmentation of the handling of the administrative aspect of this project and parallels revisions in the handling of operational traffic. The new procedure which is discussed below is in accordance with accepted field procedures.

2. Currently QRPHONE/1 receives advances and accounts for these with detailed statements of expenses accompanied by true name receipts, etc. These accountings and the accompanying receipts have been maintained in the LCPIPIT files. This system is to be changed. Henceforth monies for operational expenses will be given to QRPHONE/1 by his handler (Career Agent Rufus P. RODIGAST) and will be carried on RODIGAST's accountings as operational expenses supported by receipts from QRPHONE/1 acknowledging receipt of the funds. This RODIGAST accounting and the QRPHONE/1 receipt will be used for write-off of the funds against approved project QRPHONE. No detailed accountings and no receipts carrying QRPHONE/1's true name are to be maintained in the LCPIPIT/Admin files.

3. It will be the responsibility of Chief, LCPIPIT and the project case officer to ensure that QRPHONE/1 is supplied with the funds necessary for the furtherance of the operation and to ensure that these amounts are carefully controlled to avoid overpayment. In discharging this responsibility the Chief, LCPIPIT may require QRPHONE/1 to itemize the various expenses to be covered by the payments.

APPROVED:

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Chief, LCPIPIT — Date: 1/29/68

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Chief of Station, London — Date: 8 Feb. 68

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FROM: Chief, LCPIPIT/London ABM

SUBJECT: DTDORIC/MHPROBE/Operational
QRPHONE/Switzerland

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

References: A. GENEVA-2464
B. LCPIPIT-1711

1. We are forwarding under separate cover a copy of QRPHONE/1's report on his expulsion from Switzerland. In it QRPHONE/1 concludes that the Swiss Border Police must have learned of his planned arrival through a phone tap on a call he made to Lausanne from Italy on the 18th of January.

2. Regarding QRPHONE/1's statement in paragraph two of his report concerning his having visited Switzerland many times since 1963, please see PALP-4738 of 1 October 1965.

3. QRPHONE/1 has been instructed not to pursue any further protests with the authorities (either Swiss or American) over this matter.

ACL
Aaron C. LAGINESTRA

Attachment: u/s/c
Report

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ARREST AND EXPULSION FROM SWITZERLAND

Brigue, 20 Jan. 1968.

The Milan-Geneva TEE reached the Swiss border at Brigue at about 1030. It was evident that the Border Police were expecting me -- the usual lone civilian inspector of passports was accompanied by a uniformed policeman. I was taken, with baggage, to the station immigration office. My wife went with me, but was apparently not covered by the ban on me. When the official in charge of the office phoned Lausanne and Berne, he was informed that I was to be expelled immediately and that they did not want to interrogate me.

Great effort was made by the official in charge of the office to be polite, especially when I made a rather vigorous protest at the expulsion, claiming that I had never been informed of the ban on my entry in Switzerland, said to date from 16 Dec. 1963, and that, in any case, I had visited Switzerland on numerous occasions since 1963 without interference. Moreover, I was a professional journalist accredited to the United Nations and was indeed on my way to Geneva to visit the U.N. Office there, I said. The official seemed somewhat baffled by this, because he had been informed I was en route to Lausanne, but I showed my tickets valid to Geneva. Nevertheless, with the greatest of apologies, I was escorted -- this time by a plainclothesman -- to a train back to Italy at 1130. My wife could have stayed in Switzerland but I asked her to return with me.

During my detention, my wife phoned Gilbert Etienne in Lausanne, informing him of the situation, the Associated Press office in Geneva (speaking to a Mr. Atkins) and the U.S. Press Attaché, Frederick ~~[illegible]~~ Steiner, in Berne. Actually, I had told her to phone as many wire services as possible, but she assumed I also wanted to get the Press Attaché to protest on my behalf. In any case, the shortness of time between trains prevented her from making more calls.

When given the attached formal notice of the travel ban by the Swiss official, I refused his request that I sign it and warned that the expulsion was a violation of Swiss agreements concerning the freedom of access to the U.N. Office in Geneva which I fully intended to protest formally and bring to world attention.

Later, from Verona, I spoke myself ~~from~~ with Gilbert Etienne, who was convinced -- quite correctly, I believe -- that his phone is tapped and that my arrival was ~~learned~~ communicated to the Swiss Federal Police through a phone conversation I had with Etienne from

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Milan on 18 Jan. (My train reservation was made in Milan, not London.) I also spoke with Atkins of AP in Geneva, who told me he had filed a story after my wife's call about an American Negro journalist being refused entry into Switzerland. He asked for more background on me, claiming that New York had expressed interest in developments. Atkins believed that I could get the ban lifted by protesting to the Swiss Press Attaché in London as a professional newsman. He said he believed Swiss authorities were rather jumpy about "suspicious" individuals entering the country since the large Biafran shipments of Nigerian currency to Zurich earlier in January. Whatever the real reason, although I do resent not being able to talk with Etienne -- I was counting on him to reestablish links with Nils Andersson in Albania and to give me a picture of the altered situation among pro-Chinese Communist parties in Western Europe since the latest split from Jacques Grippa's party in Belgium --, I think the expulsion is a most useful incident to prove that I am indeed a good revolutionary and I intend to exploit it as fully as possible, within reason. That is, no overt diatribes against "how the Man operates in Switzerland," say in the Los Angeles Herald Dispatch, but to inform as many people on the Left as possible of the incident and let them draw their own conclusions.

Michael Bakafa/Petros Defta, who was expecting me in Geneva for an interview on 22 Jan. was informed by a wire from Verona that force majeure prevented me from keeping the appointment and that I would be writing him when I returned to London.

VALAIS WALLIS

POLICE CANTONALE
KANTONSPOLIZEI

Poste 3900 Brig-Bhf. , le 20.1.1968.

An Herrn

GIBSON Richard Thomas

3900 B r i g - Bahnhof

Référence :

Objet : Notifikation einer Verfügung der Eidg. Bundesanwaltschaft.

Wir bringen Ihnen zur Kenntnis, dass Sie im Schweiz. Polizeianzeiger des Jahres 1963 unter Einreisesperre gültig ausgeschrieben sind. (Art. 33 667/1963)

Die Verfügung wurde durch die Eidg. Bundesanwaltschaft am 16.12.1963 getroffen.

Dauer: unbestimmte Zeit.

Von der Verfügung Kenntnis genommen:

GIBSON Richard Thomas
des Clarence und der Alice
Thomas, geb. 13.5.1931
Los Angeles/Amerikaner.

Zugestellt durch:

KANTONSPOLIZEI Passkontrolle Brig

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20 December 1967
(C-2929)
Murray

MEMORANDUM FOR: CA/CF

SUBJECT: Accountings from QRPHONE/1

Enclosed in the attached sealed envelope are copies of accountings from QRPHONE/1.

Thomas K. Strange
Chief,
Central Cover Staff
Nonofficial Cover Branch

Attachments: One

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TO: Chief of Station, London for LCPIPIT

INFO: Chief of Station, [illegible]

FROM: Chief, WOLIVE

SUBJECT: WOPROPIC Admin/Ops
ORPHONE/1 Employment Agreement

REFERENCES: A. OELT-342, 21 Sept. 1967
B. OEPW-161 (PYDAT) (enroute)
C. LCPIPIT 8782 (IN 55628)

1. We appreciate LAGINESTRA's effort to combine and bring up to date all commitments made to ORPHONE/1 in a revised MOC, forwarded under REF A. We hope that the following comments, geared to the paragraphs as numbered in the MOC, will help to further streamline the product:

a. Para. 1:

Please see Reference B, PYDAT dispatch.

b. Para. 2:

As indicated in the REF A covering dispatch, ORPHONE/1's initial employment began 1 June 1965, rather than the 1 September 1965 date given in the draft MOC. Since the effective date of his relationship with WOFIRM will one day be the basis for an equitable terminal settlement, or might assume other administrative significance, we suggest that the paragraph be amended to reflect this: "ORPHONE/1's employment with WOFIRM which began 1 June 1965, was originally formalized by a Letter of Agreement for a period of three months, replaced by a Memorandum of Oral Commitment dated 1 September 1965. Under this MOC, which remains in effect (as amended) since that date, ORPHONE/1's employment continues on a month-to-month basis. It can be terminated by either party on 30-day notice."

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c. Paragraph [illegible]:

From talking with RODIGAST, it would appear that the fine line of demarcation between ORPHONE/1's real "salary" and his "non-accountable spill" is so vague to him (if indeed he was ever fully aware of it in our own bureaucratic terms) as to be virtually non-existent. It is equally confusing and often non-recognizable in other administrative paper-trails (see REF C). In terms of the tax obligation, the $100 has already been adjudicated taxable and the $70 supplement has been computed as tax due on the $800 total. We suggest, therefore, in the interest of administrative simplicity, that we convert the total $800 to salary, and amend the MOC to reflect this.

d. Paragraph [illegible]:

A question came up concerning ORPHONE/1's per diem in connection with the three accountings which RODIGAST submitted for processing direct at Headquarters. Included were several operational lunches and dinners. ORPHONE/1 indicated he was leaving the computation of per diem due him up to Headquarters (we have allowed for 27 days @ $20 per day). Since regulations state that no one may receive double compensation for any reimbursable expenditure, and ORPHONE/1's per diem by definition is supposed to cover food, etc., we will have to deduct 15% for each meal specifically claimed by him in his detailed accounting (i.e., $3.00 per meal). This will be the subject of separate correspondence when the accountings are processed and we T/A the appropriate amount for credit to ORPHONE/1's account, but we raise it now as we are not certain as to LCPIPIT's intent or previous practice in this regard. The amount that ORPHONE/1 would be assessed is, of course, not very substantial, but if LCPIPIT feels ORPHONE/1 should receive greater financial assistance to further defray his personal as well as operational costs while in travel status, we suggest that this enabling paragraph be amended to permit greater flexibility in the establishment of the per diem amount. Now would be an appropriate time to amend the MOC to give Chief, LCPIPIT/London, the authority to set ORPHONE/1's per diem at ". . . $20 to $30 per day during periods of authorized travel, amount to be set in advance by Chief, LCPIPIT/London." Fifteen per cent will, of course, still need to be deducted from ORPHONE/1's accounting for every meal he correctly claims as an operational expense. As to travel which does not extend overnight, regulations only require that 35% be deducted from his per diem, rather than the 50% which, in effect, the $10.00 represents. We leave it up to you as to which provision you wish included in the final MOC, but in any event we suggest that it be incorporated in the body of the paragraph, rather than set apart as a quotation from another document.

2. We have no further comments concerning the remainder of the MOC.

3. If you concur with the above suggestions, please resubmit an amended MOC which would also reflect these additional changes. We are sorry not to have been able to meet LCPIPIT's 15 October requested deadline, but press of business related to ORPHONE/1's WOLADY mission intervened.

JULIA R. CONGREVE

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RYBAT

26 September 1967

MEMORANDUM FOR: CCS/NC

SUBJECT: QRPURE/QREBONY/1 Relationship

1. This will confirm our conversation of 18 September 1967, in which we discussed QREBONY/1's plan to visit QRPURE some time during the week of 25 September 1967, and you agreed to give QRPURE/2 prior warning of this visit. In accordance with the same conversation QREBONY/1 was briefed that his visit should be mainly a question of touching base with QRPURE, maybe a friendly luncheon with QRPURE/2 -- but that no substantive discussions affecting their ostensible relationship (i.e., amount of money, amount of QREBONY/1 production for QRPURE, etc.) were to take place. You were to brief QRPURE/2 along the same lines, and also to indicate to him that, contrary to our original thinking, we would now like to have QREBONY/1 given a by-line, whenever QRPURE/2 feels he can do so.

2. In addition to the above, we would appreciate it if you would take up with QRPURE/2 (and/or QRPURE/1, as appropriate) the possibility of increasing the amount of money funded to QREBONY/1 via QRPURE. As indicated to you, we would like to increase the current $100.00 monthly to $300.00 monthly, but would like your careful examination with QRPURE principal(s) that this amount is not excessive either in terms of their willingness to handle or in terms of QRPURE's ostensible ability to cover.

3. Please also mention to QRPURE/2 our desire to have QREBONY/1 open a small office in London, and our thought of perhaps including QRPURE (along with other publications) as a name on the door or on his letterhead. Would QRPURE/2 (or QRPURE/1) have any objections? Would he have any objections if any of the other names are of more radical publications? It would not be operationally feasible or desirable to let him know in advance which these would be, but since both

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QRPURE's have been briefed carefully as to QREBONY/1's radical aura, presumably they would have a good idea as to the kind of publications these might be.

4. For operational reasons, we would prefer that the arrangements indicated in paras 2 and 3 above not be broached until after QREBONY/1's departure from the United States, some time in mid-October. We will advise you of his departure so that you can make the necessary arrangements thereafter at your convenience.

DIANE L. CHATELAN
Chief, CA/CF

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RYBAT DTDORIC QREBONY

1. FOR SECURITY REASONS RELATING TO ITS ACTUAL DESCRIPTIVENESS, IT HAS BEEN DECIDED TO CHANGE THE QREBONY CRYPT TO IDEN A. THIS NEW CRYPT WILL BE USED HENCEFORTH.

2. TO ASSIST IN EASIER COMMUNICATION IN AN AREA OF HIGH SENSITIVITY, THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL CRYPTS HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED: QRPEONY (IDEN B); AND QRPETTY (IDEN C).

3. IN FUTURE, PLS SEPARATE ALL QREBONY/1 PERSONAL CORRESPONDENCE, EXCISE QREBONY/1 NAME, AND FORWARD BY RYBAT CHANNEL ONE COPY TO DTDORIC ~~[illegible]~~ AND ONE COPY TO KEYWAY.

END OF MESSAGE

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IDEN B - ROBERT F. WILLIAMS - 201-108746

IDEN C - DANIEL WATTS - 201-248083

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INFO: COS/London (Support)

FROM: Chief, LCPIPIT/London

SUBJECT: DTDORIC/Administrative
QREBONY/1 Employment Agreement

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

1. QREBONY/1 was recruited by WOFACT on 3 June 1965. This recruitment was performed by an officer from WOMUSE/ICG since QREBONY/1 (then known as STEBONY/1) was viewed as a "double agent" penetration of pro-Chinese communist groups. QREBONY/1 has performed well in a difficult and dangerous environment. He is a clandestine agent operating against targets violently anti-WOLADY and of priority interest. The administration of QREBONY/1 requires special care since, by the very nature of his role, he is not typical of the average LCPIPIT asset.

2. QREBONY/1's initial employment was by Letter of Agreement for a period of three months. This Letter of Agreement expired 1 September 1965 and was replaced by a Memorandum of Oral Commitment dated the same day. This oral employment agreement remains in effect at this date--some two years later--, but has been amended to adjust compensation. Certain inaccuracies in the original MOC have also been corrected subsequent to its preparation. Given the sensitive nature of QREBONY/1's relationship with WOFACT it is sometimes difficult to adapt the operational realities of his situation to the administrative requirements of WOFACT. However, with great understanding at home and in the field, we have reached a very manageable situation.

3. In order to codify the entitlements and procedures applicable to QREBONY/1's employment the undersigned has prepared the attached revision of the MOC underwhich QREBONY/1 is employed. It is requested that HQS approve this revised MOC and notify LCPIPIT of approval by 15 October.

Attachment: HW
MOC

AARON C. LAGINESTRA

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30 AUG 67 IN 42132

DIRECTOR INFO: LONDON

RYBAT DIDORIC QREBONY MHPROBE

1. BELIEVE QREBONY/1 SHOULD MEET WITH QRPURE IN ORDER DISCUSS HIS COVER AND ITS EVOLUTION AND IMPROVEMENT. IN LAST FEW WEEKS QREBONY/1 HAS NOTICED HIS ARTICLES STILL BEING USED BY QRPURE BUT WITHOUT HIS BYLINE. THIS MAY INDICATE SOME POLITICAL SENSITIVITY ON PART OF QRPURE, WHICH WOULD BE UNDERSTANDABLE. HOWEVER THIS MAY NOT BE THE CASE AT ALL. THUS FIRST ORDER OF BUSINESS SHOULD BE FOR HQS TO DETERMINE STATE OF QRPURE MIND RE QREBONY/1. IF THIS POSITIVE, MEETING, WITH WOFACTER PRESENT, WOULD BE HELPFUL IN SOLIDIFYING RELATIONSHIP.

2. SHOULD SITUATION BE PROPITIOUS WE WOULD APPRECIATE HQS DISCUSS TWO ITEMS WITH QRPURE ON AN IN PRINCIPLE BASIS. FIRST, IT WOULD BE DESIRABLE TO INCREASE THE SIZE OF THE PAYMENTS FROM QRPURE TO QREBONY/1. QREBONY/1'S COVER HERE IS SUFFICIENTLY

Jack Murray will be in Tuesday. 1/9/67

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WELL ESTABLISHED TO SUPPORT, AND INDEED TO REQUIRE, AN ANNUAL SALARY FROM QRPURE OF AT LEAST $3-4,000, WHILE WE UNSURE OF QRPURE'S FEELINGS THIS SUBJECT IT OUR IMPRESSION HE MOST ACCOMMODATING AND WOULD UNDERSTAND THAT INCREASE WOULD ENHANCE QREBONY/1'S COVER. SECONDLY, WE ARE DISCUSSING THE IDEA OF QREBONY/1'S ESTABLISHING A DINGY ONE-ROOM OFFICE FROM WHICH TO CONDUCT HIS AFFAIRS. THIS WOULD FACILITATE HIS OPERATIONS BY GETTING HIM OUT OF HIS HOUSE. IT WOULD ALSO BE A CONVENIENT GATHERING PLACE FOR HIS CONTACTS AND IF COST FACTOR CAN BE KEPT MINIMAL, ENTIRELY CONSISTENT WITH HIS COVER. WE DESIRE OBTAIN QRPURE REACTION TO IDEA OF QREBONY/1 HAVING OFFICE WITH QRPURE ON DOOR, EITHER ALONE OR IN TANDEM WITH QREBONY/1 REPORTS OR SOME OTHER TITLE. ALSO COULD QRPURE ACTUALLY PASS THE FUNDS FOR THE OFFICE IN THE FORM OF A MONTHLY CHECK OR SOME OTHER ARRANGEMENT? REALIZE THAT OFFICE PLUS SALARY RAISE TOGETHER REPRESENT CONSIDERABLE INCREASE IN QRPURE INPUT TO QREBONY/1 AND WE NOT NOW IN POSITION TO ASSESS QRPURE WILLINGNESS DO SO.

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NEVERTHELESS WE WOULD APPRECIATE HQS EXPLORING THIS WITH ORPURE IF POSSIBLE.

3. HQS SHOULD DISCUSS ABOVE QITH RODIGAST WHO IN POSITION EXPAND ON THIS SUBJECT.

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14 September 1967

REVISED MEMORANDUM OF ORAL COMMITMENT
(Revised to include all changes and amendments operative as of 14 September 1967)

1. QREBONY/1 is employed by WOFACT as an independent contractor for certain services of a confidential nature. He has received an Operational Approval, dated . Financial aspects of his activity are charged to Project QREBONY.

2. QREBONY/1's employment under this agreement commenced 1 September 1965 and continues on a month-to-month basis. It can be terminated by either party on 30-day notice.

3. QREBONY/1 receives the following financial entitlements:

a. Compensation so computed as to give QREBONY/1 a "tax-free" figure of $800 per month (this figure effective 1 July 1967). NOTE: The actual breakdown of QREBONY/1's finances as carried on WOFACT books is $700 monthly salary; $100 non-accountable operational allowance; $70 tax supplement withheld at HQS to discharge QREBONY/1's WOLADY tax obligation. These taxes are remitted through the Covert Tax Committee.

b. Reimbursement for operational expenses and travel, unless these are reimbursed by other sources in which case WOFACT will offset such outside reimbursement against WOFACT financial obligations to QREBONY/1. Since security considerations generally preclude the detailed accounting for miscellaneous travel expenses, per diem will be paid at the rate of $20 per day during periods of authorized travel. This per diem authorization was qualified by a personal ruling of Chief of Station, Paris/LCPIPIT dated 12 July 1965:

> "If subject is absent from his home station on authorized travel for part of one day and returns to his home station the night of the dame day (i.e. if no hotel expense is involved in the sense of overnight accommodations), then he shall be entitled to draw 1/2 of his authorized per diem of $20 per day (i.e. $10)."

NOTE: QREBONY/1 has a revolving fund (advance) to assist in meeting operational and travel expenses.

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4. QREBONY/1 will be compensated by WOFACT in an amount mutually agreed upon for the relocation of himself and his family to a new residence if such relocation is considered desirable by him and WOFACT. NOTE: This provision was included in QREBONY/1's original Letter of Agreement and was retained in this MOC since it may be operationally desirable for QREBONY/1 to accept employment with a target organization based elsewhere.

5. LCPIPIT is authorized to approve purchase by QREBONY/1 of certain items of operational equipment which are to be non-accountable and which shall be charged against the operational expenses category of the budget attached to the FY 1968 project renewal.

6. QREBONY/1 signed a separate Secrecy Agreement (in true name) at the time of his original recruitment. He is aware that its provisions are still in effect.

7. QREBONY/1 is aware of all provisions of this Memorandum of Oral Commitment with the exception of paragraph 5, which describes an internal WOFACT procedure, and certain aspects of paragraph 3b, specifically that WOFACT is paying LNPORT taxes in his behalf. NOTE: He was promised tax-free compensation in his original recruitment and we have devised the current procedure to honor this commitment while fulfilling the requirement that all WOLADY citizens pay taxes on funds received from LNPORT.

SIGNED: ______________________
AARON C. LAGINESTRA
Case Officer

REVIEWED AND APPROVED:

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ADRIAN B. MASLOTT
Chief, LCPIPIT

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25 Aug 67 IN 39155

RYBAT DTDORIC MHPROBE QREBONY DIQVERTAX

REF DIRECTOR 29537

1. WILL CABLE ITINERARY REQUESTED REF AFTER RODIGAST MEETING WITH QREBONY/1 25 AUGUST.

2. APPRECIATE THAT WASHINGTON PROBABLY MOST CONVENIENT LOCATION FOR HQS MEETINGS WITH QREBONY/RODIGAST BUT BECAUSE SECURITY CONSIDERATIONS MUST BE PARAMOUNT REQUEST THAT SESSIONS TAKE PLACE ELSEWHERE, PREFERABLY NEW YORK CITY. HAVE SO INFORMED RODIGAST.

3. SECURITY RISKS ATTENDANT QREBONY MEETINGS WITH WOFACT IN U.S. ARE OF PARTICULAR CONCERN. THUS REQUEST THAT QREBONY CONTACTS WITH WOFACT OFFICERS BE HELD ONLY WHEN ABSOLUTELY REQUIRED AND LIMITED TO ESSENTIAL PARTICIPANTS. ALSO BELIEVE IT WILL BE DIFFICULT AND PROBABLY INSECURE HAVE QREBONY/1 SET ASIDE BLOCK OF DAYS FOR MEETINGS ONCE HE ARRIVES IN U.S. AND THAT CONTACTS WITH QREBONY/1 WILL HAVE TO BE AD HOC INSTEAD OF AD SERIATIM. QREBONY/1 WILL DO HIS BEST ADHERE TO ITINERARY, HOWEVER

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WE FEEL IT ONLY REALISTIC TO ASSUME THAT HIS MOVEMENTS AND SCHEDULE WILL BE CONDITIONED BY DEVELOPMENTS FROM MOMENT HE STEPS OFF PLANE.

4. FOR SECURITY AND HANDLING REASONS IT MOST IMPORTANT FOR RODIGAST TO MEET AND BRIEF EACH WOFACTER IN ADVANCE WOFACTERS MEETING WITH QREBONY/1. NO TRUE NAMES OF WOFACTERS SHOULD BE USED AND SPECIAL CARE SHOULD BE TAKEN PROTECT RODIGAST, WHOSE TRUE NAME AND ADDRESS NOT KNOWN BY QREBONY/1.

5. RODIGAST ETA NEW YORK 10 SEPTEMBER. HE WILL PHONE VARASANO WHOM HE HAS MET MORNING 11 SEPTEMBER AT EITHER IDEN A OR IDEN B TO ARRANGE FOR MEETINGS WITH HQS OFFICERS. QREBONY/1 WILL BE TOLD ARRIVE NEW YORK 15 SEPTEMBER THUS GIVING FEW DAYS LEAD TIME FOR RODIGAST/HQS PREPARATIONS. REQUEST VARASANO, WHO WILL WISH DISCUSS RODIGAST PERSONAL AND DTOVERTAX OPERATIONAL MATTERS, ARRANGE FOR INTRODUCTION TO CONGREVE.

6. NO FURTHER REGULAR MEETING WITH EITHER QREBONY/1 OR RODIGAST BEING SCHEDULED ALTHOUGH PROVISIONS FOR EMERGENCY MEETING BEING LAID ON. ANY INFO FOR EMERGENCY PASSAGE TO

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EITHER MUST REACH LCPIPIT BY COB 31 AUGUST.

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We all agree. Fred

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INFO.: COS/London

FROM: Chief, LCPIPIT/London ABM

SUBJECT: DTDORIC/Operational
QREBONY/Basic Project Documents

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

1. LCPIPIT is revising the QREBONY Project files--which have been rather haphazardly maintained over the past year or so (much of this time the project was without a case officer). In our attempts to locate basic project documents we have been unable to find any copy of the provisions of the Operational Approval applicable to QREBONY/1. We do have a copy of the Provisional Approval granted 23 May 1966 forwarded with OFLW - 1591, 7 July 1966. Possibly the relevant document was destroyed during the reduction of files attendant upon the LCPIPIT move, or possibly it was inadvertantly not forwarded to LCPIPIT. At any rate we will appreciate being sent a copy.

2. We would also like to have a sterile version of the FY 68 Project Renewal as well as all other basic documents which ought to be available to LCPIPIT.

AARON C. LAGINESTRA

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FROM
Chief, LCPIPIT/London ABM

SUBJECT
DTDORIC/Operational
O QREBONY/Jacques Verges

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

We are forwarding USC a copy of a letter sent QREBONY/1 by Jacques Verges' lawyer in which he makes a settlement offer on behalf of his client. QREBONY/1 will probably accept this, after a suitable waiting period, as it offers very telling and effective ammunition for use in his continuing battle to counter Verges' allegation that he was a WOFACT agent. It is our reading at this point that QREBONY/1 has been quite successful in this effort and that this settlement from Verges will be the final triumph in his campaign.

ACZ

AARON C. LAGINESTRA

Attachment: USC
Letter

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Monsieur et Madame GIBSON
32, Hartswood Road
Stamford Brook
London, W. 12
Graude Bretagne

Chers Madame et Monsieur,

Je m'empresse de vous faire savoir que le Conseil des Prudhommes par jugement rendu le 20 juillet 1967 a retenu sa compétence conformément au rapport du Conseiller rapporteur.

En tout état de cause, j'attends votre réponse à ma dernière lettre par laquelle je vous ai transmis les propositions de règlement à l'amiable faites par M. VERGES.

Je vous remercie de votre prochain courrier à ce sujet et,

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Vous prie de croire, Chers Madame et Monsieur, à l'expression de mes sentiments dévoués.

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S. SCHWARTZENBERG
AVOCAT A LA COUR
25, FAUBOURG MONTMARTRE
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SUR RENDEZ-VOUS

PARIS, le 13 juillet 1967

Monsieur et Madame GIBSON
30, Stockleigh Hall
Prince Albert Road
LONDON N.W.8 - Grande Bretagne

AFF. GIBSON/ VERGES

Chers Madame et Monsieur,

Je m'empresse de vous faire savoir que Maître VERGES propose de vous régler en dinars algériens la moitié des sommes demandées, ce qui me semble intéressant pour vous, compte tenu de l'ensemble des circonstances de cette affaire, soit :

7.500 fr pour M. GIBSON d'une part, et
5.250 fr pour Mme GIBSON d'autre part
total : 12.7 0 fr

Je dois vous indiquer que cette proposition est un peu inespérée, car il est clair qu'en poursuivant la Société des NOUVELLES EDITIONS INTERNATIONALES, vous gagnerez une certaine somme dont je ne puis fixer le montant, mais ne toucherez jamais rien.

En ce qui concerne la lettre dont M. GIBSON m'avait entretenu, mon Confrère ne me répond rien sur celle-ci. Je pense qu'il n'y a quand même pas lieu d'en faire une question de principe et que nous pourrions, dans le cadre d'un reçu, obtenir une phrase ~~directe~~ sur ce qui a été dit à votre sujet.

En tout état de cause et si nous parvenions à un accord sur cette base, Me VERGES propose de tenir cette somme à votre disposition dès votre premier voyage en Algérie.

Je crois qu'il serait préférable que, d'une manière ou d'une autre, cette somme soit remise à une personne ayant votre confiance.

Si toutefois vous pensez que je dois tenter d'obtenir un peu plus, vous voudrez bien je vous prie me le faire savoir, mais j'insiste sur ce point qu'il est quelque fois préférable d'attraper une proposition à la balle, plutôt que de risquer de tout perdre.

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FROM: Acting Chief WOVIEW		MICROFILM

SUBJECT: DTDORIC/GREBONY LNERGO Report

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

Transmitted, under separate cover, for your information only, is a copy of a LNERGO Report dated August 10, 1967. Please note paragraph 4 and bring to the attention of RODIGAST.

ISABELLE R. PRIAMI

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LNERGO Report u/s/c

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TO: Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Attention: Mr. S. J. Papich

FROM: Deputy Director for Plans

SUBJECT: SUGAR's Trip to the United States

1. This is to advise the Bureau that this Agency plans to have SUGAR come to the United States during the month of September 1967. In addition to periodic consultation with Headquarters elements, the purpose of this trip will be to renew previous contacts, particularly among American Negro radical elements, primarily in order to develop information on possible Cuban (or other foreign) financial or other lines of support to these groups. He will be under instructions not to engage directly in any civil rights or other protest activities while in the United States.

2. We would appreciate the Bureau's concurrence in this activity. We would also welcome any Bureau requirements which the Agency would levy on SUGAR for servicing during his stay in the United States.

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Some advice on this problem would be appreciated.

* Must be at least £1000 yearly.

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NEGRO, IN PEKING, ACCUSES CUBANS

'Vicious Smear' of China in 'Forged' Letter Charged

Robert F. Williams, an American Negro who is now a black nationalist spokesman in Peking, has charged that the Cuban regime of Premier Fidel Castro has counterfeited a newsletter he puts out and used the bogus periodical for "a vicious smear attack" on Communist China.

In the May issue of the newsletter, The Crusader, which has arrived here, Mr. Williams asserted that the "forged" version "carries a metered postmark that is available only for Cuban Government bulk mailing." He charged that the newsletter was put out by "the Cuban G-2", which he said was heavily infiltrated by the United States Central Intelligence Agency.

Mr. Williams left his home in Monroe, N. C., in 1961 and went to Cuba, where he advocated a "freedom struggle" for Negroes in the United States. He left Cuba last year.

Another American Negro nationalist, Richard Gibson, in a current newsletter from London, describes Mr. Williams as "chairman-in-exile of the all-black Revolutionary Action Movement (RAM) in the United States." Sixteen persons, who were said to be members of the revolutionary movement, were arrested in Queens last month on charges of having plotted to murder moderate Negro civil rights leaders.

The Crusader that Mr. Williams contended was mailed from Havana last month, has a headline, "China Betrays The Cuban Revolution," and has Mr. Williams saying that he was "deceived by the soft lies and subtle flattery" of Chinese Communist leaders. It goes on to say that Mao Tse-tung was now "old and sick and can no longer control his arrogant, power-mad underlings who, although acting in his name, have abandoned the people's revolution."

Mr. Williams' current Peking newsletter asserted that "Afro-Americans should refuse to fight" in Vietnam. But it added that "those who are trapped into it" could "work among the troops to educate them to the true facts of life."

As advice to Negroes at home, the newsletter said:

"Revolutionaries must play it cool. Infiltrate the police and the master infiltrators, the C.I.A. We must learn to subvert him at his own expense while using his facilities to advance our cause of Black liberation."

On Monday, Workers World, a weekly here with a Trotskyist tendency, announced that it had obtained a statement from Mr. Williams denouncing the alleged murder plot here as a "frame-up."

"It is not my policy nor RAM's to kill condescending Uncle Toms," the statement said. "We are not an organization advocating pointless assassinations. We are dedicated freedom-fighters stressing armed self-defense. Our objective is to make America a just and decent place to live."

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TO: Chief, WOVIEW

INFO.: Chief, EUR; Chief, LCPIPIT

FROM: Chief of Station, London

SUBJECT: DTDORIC QREBLY QREBONY JAGUAR LEPAGE
QREBONY's Group

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

Refs: OEPA 156, 5 May 1967
OELA 4737, 10 May 1967

1. We now have JAGUAR's comments on the proposed "group" designed to allow QREBONY to expand his access by "representing" something - even if only a purely notional group. The letter from JAGUAR is attached.

2. We would observe that JAGUAR's comments are obviously made in a constructive vein. Similarly, JAGUAR seems to take a protective, almost proprietary interest in considerations affecting the QREBONY project. We naturally welcome this feeling on their part, since QREBONY continues to exist as a U.K.-based operation at their pleasure. And we think that JAGUAR's comments are sound, in substance. Their final comment also veils, to say the least, the understandable SMOTH... reluctance to see yet another splinter group a-spawning, with the frightful political implications if a WOLADY spy were exposed while running a phoney "pro-Chinese" group in the U.K.! (It would probably be not too good in WOLADY, for that matter, but a government could fall here as a result.)

3. We have now had an opportunity to talk this over with CILIBERTI, LAGINESTRA and RODIGAST, and all are agreed that QREBONY's trial balloon will not be re-floated. We think no harm is done. If JAGUAR should come into possession of a copy of QREBONY's letter, and ask us about it, we will acknowledge that he wrote it to try out on a limited number of friends and aimed at his Swedish audience, preliminary to (he hopes) Rob WILLIAMS' arrival in Sweden. We are now merely replying to JAGUAR that we are grateful for their cogent comments, and that "the group" will not be activated unless there is a significant change in the QREBONY operational situation such as to require "the group" to be created, in which case we will again seek their concurrence.

Arthur T. JOSLVICK

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Letter - as stated
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FROM Chief, LCPIPIT		MICROFILM

SUBJECT: CTDOPIC/Operational
QREBONY/QREBONY/1 and AMSQUAW/1's Relationship

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

1. The relationship between QREBONY/1 and AMSQUAW/1 is a particularly important one from both the production and security points of view. AMSQUAW/1 has been a prolific and reliable reporter, especially on items dealing with the International War Crimes Tribunal, and it will be highly desirable for her to continue to serve in this capacity in the forseeable future. It is recognized that AMSQUAW/1 is not a controlled agent and that her personal willingness to serve as a clandestine informant of QREBONY/1 is based upon a complex and inter-related series of reasons, both personal and ideological. QREBONY/1 helped her out of a tight situation in Africa and has befriended her since her arrival in London. For the last several months she has been living at his house. QREBONY/1 has a very agreeable personality and is a genuinely likeable person. At the same time, although she is not an ideological person, she shares his pro-Chinese ideological position and she has never questioned his explanation - that her reporting is for the Chinese. Lastly, we cannot and have not, overlooked the likelihood of a physical attraction between the two. In the last analysis it is impossible for us to state exactly what motivates her to act as a clandestine informant for QREBONY/1.

2. It is quite possible for the relationship between QREBONY/1 and AMSQUAW/1 to change at any time. Should their relationship take a turn for the worst it might possibly have adverse security implications for QREBONY/1. This subject has been discussed at length with QREBONY/1 and he agrees that great care must be taken. He is careful to use AMSQUAW/1 only in situations where it would be plausible for the Chinese to have an interest. Thus far this has been relatively easy, indeed at the Stockholm sessions of the Russell Tribunal the absence of any Chinese representatives served to confirm in AMSQUAW/1's mind that QREBONY/1 was the Chinese man on the scene. At this point no actual problem exists, but both LCPIPIT and QREBONY/1 are alert to the possibility that one could arise.

AARON C. LAGINESTRA

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FROM: Chief, LCPIPIT

SUBJECT: DTDORIC/Operational
OREBONY/OREBONY/1's Meeting with RNSLIVER

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

Transmitted herewith is a brief memo for the record summarizing a conversation between the undersigned and RNSLIVER in which the latter recounted his impressions of a meeting with OREBONY/1. Transmitted USC is a brief note from OREBONY/1 to RODIGAST covering the events of the same evening.

P.F. CILIBERTI

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Brief note USC

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: CILIBERTI Conversation with RNSLIVER 26 April Concerning His Meeting with QREBONY/1

1. On 25 April BASTEAR told me that RNSLIVER was in London and was planning to meet with QREBONY/1. BASTEAR accordingly suggested that RNSLIVER be debriefed by the undersigned the following morning. Accordingly I met with RNSLIVER for about one hour, from which meeting the following highlights seem worth recording:

A. I told RNSLIVER that we (WOFACT) had been interested in QREBONY/1 at the time that he was writing for China Quarterly concerning his dispute with the editor of Revolution, Jacque Verges, but that we had lost tract of him of late. Now that we are in QREBONY/1's home town, RNSLIVER was told that we and Headquarters would be interested in any information on QREBONY/1 which could be reported as a result of such meetings as RNSLIVER had had with him.

B. RNSLIVER said that he had told Leo Labedz that he would like to meet Ibrahim to gain some understanding of what was going on in the African exiled community, particularly as it related to the Sino-Soviet split. Labedz said that he thought that RNSLIVER would do much better by talking to QREBONY/1 whom he, Labedz, said was one of the few people around from whom Labedz could learn anything.

C. RNSLIVER met QREBONY/1 at QREBONY/1's house. RNSLIVER did not have a complete roster of those who were there to participate in what RNSLIVER described as a "political bull session". He remembered only (in addition to himself and QREBONY/1) of Matthew Nkoana and a girl from Mexico City named Sucesos, who he said knew a great deal about guerrilla goings-on in Venezuela and whose address he said was Calzada, Tacuboya 103, Mexico 18. RNSLIVER said that Nkoana said practically nothing throughout the evening, apparently because he found RNSLIVER's presence odd and unnerving.

D. RNSLIVER was as impressed with QREBONY/1 as Labedz had predicted he would be. He described QREBONY/1 as remarkably knowledgeable concerning Chinese factions of Communist movements in Western Europe and Africa. He said that QREBONY/1 had described his recent trip to Nicosia and Cairo, had mentioned that he had visited Dar-es-Salaam, that he knew Jacques Grippa, and that he intended to visit Stockholm in connection with the Russell Tribunal and a possible Stockholm visit by Robert Williams.

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E. RNSLIVER was particularly impressed by QREBONY/1's library of radical books and pamphlets. RNSLIVER turned over to the undersigned for copying and return a recent issue of Williams' The Crusader, and a copy of QREBONY/1's own newsletter. These were received with feigned interest, although of course we had earlier received the same items from RODIGAST (already forwarded to Headquarters).

F. RNSLIVER did not recall meeting Mrs. QREBONY/1, and did not know how many children QREBONY/1 had. He described QREBONY/1's house as attractively middle class. He was aware of the fact that QREBONY/1 had gone to Kenyon College and praised QREBONY/1's writing skills. QREBONY/1 showed him a number of articles he had written which RNSLIVER said completely followed the Chinese Communist line. RNSLIVER was surprised that some of these articles had been printed in the United States in spite of their political orientation.

P.F. CILIBERTI

att to OEPA-00248

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GRIFFITH VISIT

Conversation with Prof. William E. Griffith, London, 25/4/67.

Tadeusz Horko phoned my home to tell me that XXXXXX Griffith, who is spending a sabbatical year in Munich from MIT, wanted to see me. Later that evening, Leo Labedz and Griffith arrived. Stella Joyce of Amnesty International and Matthew Nkoana also arrived unexpectedly. It turned out that Lebedz and Joyce had often talked over xxxxxxxx the phone, but had never met.

Griffith told me that he had recently visited East Africa. In Dar es Salaam, he had met David Sibeko and Ahmed G. Ebrahim of the PAC (Pan Africanist Congress). He said his distinct impression was that PAC was on a strong pro-Chinese course. Griffith said he had written to Nana Mahomo's old address in London in an effort to contact him, but had learned later that Mahomo was now at Xxxxx Kirkland House, Harvard University. He said he looked forward to talking with Mahomo when he went briefly to the USA in May.

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FROM: Chief, LCPIPIT 2061

SUBJECT: LTDORIC/Operational QRPREY/QREBONY

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

As HQS is aware, QREBONY/1 has been pursuing a legal action against Jacques Verges. He has now received a letter from his lawyer which seems to indicate that Verges is willing to make some sort of settlement--although he can only pay in Algerian dinars. QREBONY/1, of course, is willing to accept a settlement provided it includes some sort of apology from Verges. Armed with this apology QREBONY/1 could then dispose of any lingering doubts regarding his political reliability caused by Verges' accusations and would also have the ego gratification of forcing Verges to eat his own words.

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AARON C. LAGIMESTRA

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Me Serge Schwartzenberg

PARIS, le 17 AVRIL 1967

Schwartzenberg
Avocat à la Cour
Fbg. Montmartre
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Monsieur GIBSON
30, Stockleigh Hall
Prince Albert Road
LONDON N.W.8 (Grande Bretagne)

AFF. GIBSON C/Nouvelles Editions Internationales

Cher Monsieur,

Mon confrère adverse, Conseil de la Société Nouvelle des Editions Internationales, et de Monsieur VERGES, me fait savoir qu'il a eu une conversation avec Me VERGES qui lui a indiqué qu'il vit actuellement en Algérie et serait disposé à rechercher un règlement amiable des difficultés qui vous opposent.

Il m'a fait part qu'actuellement sa situation ne lui permet pas de payer en une autre monnaie que la monnaie algérienne, savoir le dinar.

Il y a là une question de principe. Pourriez-vous, je vous prie, me faire savoir si vous pourriez envisager une transaction aux termes de laquelle vous seriez réglé en dinars. J'ignore d'ailleurs dans quelles conditions l'exportation des capitaux d'Algérie est encore possible à ce jour.

Quoi qu'il en soit, peut-être seriez-vous intéressé par cette proposition.

Je n'ai pas encore discuté de chiffres avec mon confrère adverse puisqu'il s'agit là d'une question préjudicielle à toute discussion sur le fond de la somme due.

J'attends donc votre prochaine réponse et vous prie de croire, cher Monsieur, à l'expression de mes sentiments dévoués.

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I phoned Schwartzenberg and informed him I would agree to a settlement, but the amount to be paid in any currency would necessarily depend on the extent to which Jacques Vergès apologized for his accusations against me in 1964. I said I did not mind if Vergès attempted to lay the blame for those accusations on a "misunderstanding" or on erroneous or malicious misinformation given him by others.

[Copies sent to J. Griggs, R. Raindorf, Wil Anderson, Gilbert Givens (Lawrence).]

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STATEMENT of EARNINGS and DEDUCTIONS

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Increase Normal Salary from $700 to $746 effective 1 December 1966.

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CHANGING PLACES

[illegible] Wilmot Rogers is one of two [illegible] staff members of the *Car-* [illegible] *Cumberland Journal* who have [illegible] to the production side [illegible] (Carlisle) Ltd. — the [illegible].

[illegible] Brothers have an expanding web-offset printing [illegible] and among [illegible] they handle is the new [illegible] *JAG* (U.K. *Press Gazette*, [illegible]).

Rogers, who is 37, is to become [illegible] controller after five years in [illegible] post. He started in journalism [illegible] News and later worked [illegible] Newspapers in the [illegible]. Before joining the Journal he was [illegible] for five years of the *Cumberland* [illegible] *Cumberland Evening Star.*

[illegible] appointment is that of chief photo-[illegible] Laurie Kemp as works manager [illegible]. He succeeds Charles [illegible] shortly to take up a post on the [illegible].

Rogers' successor is assistant editor [illegible] Atkins, a former Merchant Navy [illegible].

[illegible] TO SUNDAY MIRROR

[illegible] GARROTT, former features editor [illegible] *Bristol Evening Post*, is joining the [illegible] *Mirror's* features sub-editors after [illegible] as a features sub-editor with the [illegible] *Mail*.

[illegible] SHONE has joined the *Flintshire* [illegible] reporters at Mold after three [illegible] a reporter and sub-editor on *The* [illegible] *Gazette* and the *Islington Gazette*.

[illegible] HE'LL EDIT QUARTERLY

[illegible] L. RANSLEY has been appointed [illegible] officer to the Muscular Dys-[illegible] Group of Great Britain and will [illegible] its quarterly *Muscular Dystrophy* [illegible]

[illegible] FROM WWN INTO TV

[illegible] VACK, who joined Plymouth's [illegible] *Morning News* from the [illegible] last September, has moved to [illegible] Television as reporter and news-[illegible] KATIE CRIEB is leaving WWN [illegible] *Recorder*. Two newcomers [illegible] are JON ADDISON and NEIL [illegible] from Auckland, New Zealand.

[illegible] DEVON EXECUTIVE

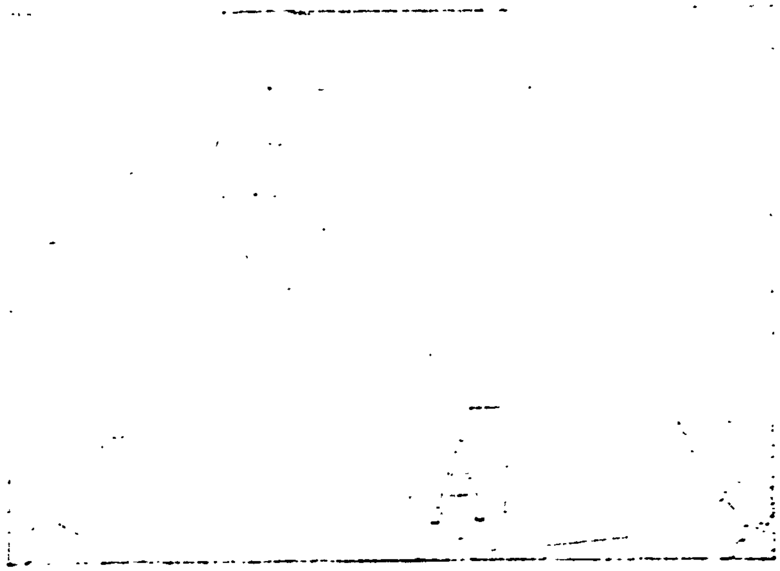
[illegible] NOON has been appointed assist-[illegible] of the *South Devon Journal* at [illegible]. He has worked with the [illegible] *Express* and *Daily Mail* and has [illegible] a magazine editor before moving [illegible].

[illegible] from 'Queen' [illegible] its colour weekly

[illegible] ROBERTS, formerly with *Queen* [illegible] and *London Evening Standard*, [illegible] of *Colour News Feature Weekly*, [illegible] on April [illegible]. The magazine will be printed web-offset by the [illegible] Publishing Co. at [illegible] incorporates the old *Londoner* [illegible].

AGENCY [illegible] SET

[illegible] meeting of the Newspaper Con-[illegible] Association — formed in [illegible] March 11 *Press Gazette* No. 115, [illegible] will be held at the Midland Hotel, Manchester on April 22. Idea of the meeting is to bring together freelances from the north with those from the south who attended the inaugural meeting.



Alistair Cooke has said it 1,000 times

ALISTAIR COOKE, home from the US to celebrate the thousandth BBC broadcast of his "Letter from America", was chief guest at a luncheon of the Association of Circulation Executives on March 27 in the Connaught Rooms, London.

Mr. Cooke gave an off-the-cuff, off-the-record talk which ranged from international affairs to golf and religion.

Chairman Bernard Aron welcomed continental members of Distripress, including Dr. G. Lesrig, Inter-Orbis, Milan; M. Vandevelde, Société de Bibliothèque des Gares, Brussels; K. Olsen, Dansk Central-agentur, Copenhagen; Dr. [illegible], Distripress Secretariat; David [illegible] Chappelle, Consultant to Distripress Committee.

PICTURED with Mr. Cooke, at microphone, are Mr. Aron and N. H. Neims, managing director of [illegible] Books.

Express O'Farrell gets racing post

MICHAEL O'FARRELL has been appointed racing correspondent of Dublin's *Irish Times*. He joined the newspaper's sports staff six years ago from the London office of the *Daily Express*.

JOHN SANDER has left the London advertisement staff of Eastern Counties Newspapers after three years as a media representative to join the *Kensington and Chelsea Post's* reporting staff.

SHE'S GROUP PRESS OFFICER

JUDITH TURNER has joined the Wedgwood Group as press officer, based in London, for Wedgwood, William Adams, Susie Cooper and Royal Tuscan.

PETER MUMMERY, formerly *Time* sales representative in Britain, is moving to South Africa to handle the US news magazine's advertising sales following the opening of a new office there. Another new office has opened in Amsterdam.

Hendon editor now group MD

GRANT MILLARD, at present editor and general manager, has been appointed managing director of the *Hendon Times* group, owned by Merritt & Hatcher.

He began with the London and Essex Guardian series at Walthamstow and moved to Hendon after three years with Mansfield's *Chronicle-Advertiser*.

NEGRO PRESS MOVE

RICHARD GIBSON has been appointed overseas representative and correspondent of Negro Press International, a news and feature service based in Chicago. He remains editor for Africa, Asia and Europe of the New York Afro-American monthly *Liberator* and international columnist to another US monthly, *Independent*.

ILIFFE TO MACLAREN

JOHN FENNER has been appointed advertisement manager of Maclaren's *Modern Refrigeration and Air Conditioning*. He was previously advertisement manager for Iliffe's *Data Processing*.

REPORTER FOR PR

RICHARD GUEST, deputy chief reporter of the *Worley News Telephone*, has joined Nicholas Mendes and Associates Ltd. — a Birmingham-based public relations company — as press service editor.

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SUBJECT DTDORIC/Operational
QREBONY/QREBONY/1's Taxes

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

1. QREBONY/1 told RODIGAST at their most recent meeting that he did not have to file an overt tax form for 1966 because his gross overt income for 1966 was less than $600. This will not be true for the 1967 tax year and he will have to file in the Spring of 1968. The operative sentence in the 1966 Tax Guide For US Citizens Abroad, US Treasury Dept IRS Pub No 54 states--"Every citizen of the United States, regardless of where he resides who is under 65 years of age and has a gross income of $600 or more during a tax year must file an income tax return."

2. For the record the undersigned who is as yet unfamiliar with all administrative details, would appreciate HQS confirmation of the above.

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AARON C. LAGINESTRA

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DTDORIC QREBONY

REF: DIRECTOR 90256

ACTION 13 Apr 67 43420

1. AGREED PARA 3 REF THAT RAISE NOT BE PASSED THRU GRPURE. ALSO AGREE JULY EFFECTIVE DATE. REQUEST HQS TAKE STEPS HAVE RAISE ADDED TO SALARY DEPOSITS MADE BY HQS TO QREBONY'S ACCOUNT.

2. WILL COMMENT ON PARA 4 REF WHEN PROMISED DISPATCH RECEIVED.

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FROM: Chief, LCPIPIT

SUBJECT: DTDORIC/Operational
QREBONY/British Immigration Status

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

1. The USC memoranda sets forth a problem which QREBONY/1 recently encountered at London Airport and how it was solved with the assistance of London Station and JAGUAR.

2. As matters now stand, British Immigration will take no action against QREBONY/1 without checking with JAGUAR.

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Attachment: USC
As stated above para 1 USC

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TO: [illegible]

[illegible] with Home [illegible] Roddy [illegible] what the Immigration people at the airport say. As long as he's properly documented (visa current and all that) they can't step him out (unless, of course, they catch him in flagrante delicto. So as long as he keeps his nose relatively clean, he's okay. He doesn't need to worry until the Home Office comes to him; when that happens - IF it happens, and that is unlikely, the way the British law works - we will look into things further. Tell him that having a British wife makes him immune to most out-kicking activities - as long as his nose is clean.

In fact, it is all fixed with the Home Office. They will not take any action against him without checking with JAGUAR, and they, of course, will check with us. He should not be encouraged to be flippant or sassy with the Immigration people, but he doesn't need to panic, either. He should behave in a reasonably straightforward and natural way - so he should not be encouraged to think we have "fixed" things for him.

I also discussed again with JAG the question of having him taken off the watchlist. They are willing to do so, if we want, but their [illegible] still is that it is better for him to be watchlisted. There could probably be no better credential for him, if traveling with Ebrahim or Manchanda or Raina [illegible] of that sort, than to get the business from the [illegible] or Immigration people. And, of course, he should, for our sake (security, and all that) be discouraged from carrying anything incriminating, and if he knows that he may be searched any time he comes or goes, that should help his discretion along.

Now, if, on the other hand, the airport harrassment really gets to be too much of a burden, maybe we will want to review the situation. On the basis of the two incidents to date, however, I vote for leaving him watchlisted.

Let me know if you see any problems, or if there are any unanswered questions.

(Oh, yes: consensus is that he should not apply for permanent residence permit. If he wonders about it, Roddy should point out that in applying for one he would have to give some info about his income, etc., which he doesn't have to do now. And, again, since his British wife is an ace in the hole, he doesn't have to volunteer that information; so he shouldn't.

FROM: J[illegible]VICK

OEPA - 211
15 Apr 67

URGENT

BRITISH IMMIGRATION PROBLEM

Returning to the U.K. on 15/3/67, I was warned by British Immigration at London Airport that I was spending more time in Britain than outside the country. The Immigration Officer inspected my passport closely, counting the number of trips I had made since getting that passport, which had been issued by the U.S. Embassy in London, on 1 December 1965. However, no explanation was asked for concerning the travel. I explained that I had intended to resettle in Switzerland or France and was spending so much time in Britain only because my wife, who was British, had been helping to take care of her elderly parents in London. I was told nevertheless that I should go to the Home Office and apply for temporary residence in Britain.

Before doing so, I would need to know:

1) whether I should in fact do so;

2) how should I describe my work, if any, and source of income.

At present, upon investigation, the British would learn that I have no visible means of income, except for perhaps for my Reports and some freelance journalism, but nevertheless receive money regularly from a Swiss bank account.

If I told the Home Office I ~~was~~ am a freelance journalist, I imagine they would demand some sort of bank or other financial statements, which would probably be examined by British tax authorities for possible taxation. Even if I say I have no employment of any consequence and maintain myself on income from investments made in Switzerland and elsewhere, I might have to verify that statement and pay some sort of British taxes. Considering the positions of my brothers-in-law, I doubt if either could get away with claiming to fully or partially support my family, although my brother-in-law Gordon Kaye, who is a Chartered Accountant, has been deducting my children's school fees from his taxes by means of an educational trust fund, although he no longer pays anything towards the fees. I could say that I was the beneficiary of a tax-free U.S. fellowship, but this might [illegible] prove more cumbersome and dangerous than necessary, in the present circumstances.

In any case, I need advice on this matter urgently, as I suspect I may soon have a visit from the Home Office if I do not go to them voluntarily.

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SUBJECT: DTDORIC/QREBONY/Operational
QREBONY/1 Mentioned in Senate Hearings

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

See paragraph 4.

1. Transmitted under separate cover is an excerpt from a recent Senate debriefing of a PBRUMEN defector, in which QREBONY/1's name was mentioned.

2. We do not believe that the testimony is particularly awkward for QREBONY/1, and while we had an opportunity to have this portion of the testimony stricken from the record, we elected not to do anything about it since it would have involved revealing WOFACT interest in QREBONY/1.

3. FYI, In order to avoid any concern on the part of QRPURE should this portion of the testimony ever hit the press, KAMMERMAYER mentioned the reference to QREBONY/1 in low key to QRPURE at a recent meeting. QRPURE exhibited no concern.

4. Please have RODIGAST brief QREBONY/1 concerning the testimony at an early opportunity.

JULIA R. CONGREVE

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Mr. Volta. I don't know, sir.

Mr. Sourwine. Do you know if they did in fact organize this conference in London, involving --

Mr. Volta. I think they did, but I never heard of it --

Mr. Sourwine. Involving the North Vietnamese. You heard nothing further?

Mr. Volta. No, sir.

Mr. Sourwine. Now, did you have any information about the presence in London of any other United States citizens who had attempted to obtain a visa to travel to Cuba?

Mr. Volta. No, sir. Not that I remember.

Mr. Sourwine. Didn't you have something to do with an individual who wanted to go to Cuba, to interview Castro?

Mr. Volta. Yes.

Mr. Sourwine. Tell us about this.

Mr. Volta. There was a newspaper man, a colored man.

Mr. Sourwine. A Negro?

Mr. Volta. Yes, a Negro. And he used to be, I think, president of Fair Play for Cuba here in the States, I think in New York. I don't know if this was in New York. And he visited the Embassy, trying to get a visa.

Mr. Sourwine. The Cuban Embassy in London?

Mr. Volta. Yes, the Cuban Embassy in London.

Mr. Sourwine. To get a visa to go to Cuba?

Mr. Volta. Yes. And then we sent this request to Cuba,

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but we never had a reply. He wanted to have an interview with Castro for a magazine -- Playboy Magazine.

Q Playboy Magazine.

What did this Negro newspaper man do, do you know? Do you know where he worked?

Mr. Volta. As far as I know, he was editing a bulletin, newspaper bulletin, in London.

Mr. Sourwine. In London -- not in Paris?

Mr. Volta. I hardly can tell you exactly. But I know he was editing a news bulletin.

Mr. Sourwine. What kind of a news bulletin?

Mr. Volta. Well, a sheet of paper with news about different aspects.

Mr. Sourwine. Well, do you know whether this was really a news enterprise, or whether it was a propaganda enterprise?

Mr. Volta. I think it was a private news service, because his name was in the head.

Mr. Sourwine. What was that name?

Mr. Volta. I tried to remember his name.

Mr. Sourwine. Didn't you tell our man in Miami that it was Richard Gibson?

Mr. Volta. Right, that one, yes, sir. Richard Gibson.

Mr. Sourwine. Now, do you have any details about the alleged contract with Playboy Magazine for an interview with Fidel Castro?

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MR. [illegible]. [illegible]?

MR. [illegible]. [illegible].

MR. [illegible]. [illegible]?

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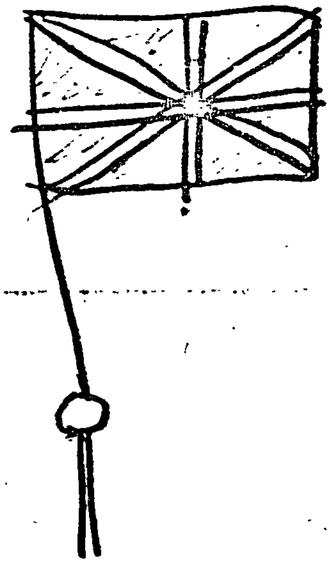
2. SINCE WILL BE CONTINUING REVIEW OF CASE WITH JAGUAR IN NEXT FEW DAYS (THEY HAVE AGREED IN PRINCIPLE OUR CONTINUED RUNNING OF HIM IN UK), WOULD APPRECIATE CABLE SUMMARY LATEST MEETING WITH QREBONY AND PLANS FOR IMMEDIATE FUTURE.

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TO: Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Attention: Mr. S. J. Papich

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FROM: Deputy Director for Plans

SUBJECT: SUGAR's Involvement with American Radical Organizations

1. This memorandum requests your Agency's comments, on a priority basis, relative to improving the operational capabilities of SUGAR, a source of this Agency known to you, whose reporting on expatriate American leftist personalities we are forwarding on a continuing basis.

2. Despite our hopes and his efforts, SUGAR was unable to obtain an invitation to the Tri-Continental Conference recently held in Havana, which was a target for collection by this Agency. It is our belief that SUGAR's reputation of being pro-Chinese was responsible for his exclusion. In discussing this problem with important pro-Chinese communist personalities in Europe recently, the latter suggested that his ability to secure access to such meetings would be considerably enhanced if he could obtain a "grass-roots" base or connection in the United States which he could represent. In reporting this suggestion--which strikes us as valid--SUGAR speculated on the possibility that he might attempt to become the European "representative" of the Revolutionary Action Movement (RAM), an American organization of which he knows little but which seems, from what he does know, to be consistent in its outlook with his ostensible political orientation.

3. In this connection, we would very much appreciate receiving any information you possess on RAM, its structure, personalities and membership. We would welcome particularly, any mailing list or address roster of this organization which might be passed on to SUGAR without compromise to security considerations.

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4. Most of all, we would welcome your comments on this general problem, given your Agency's broad knowledge of such organizations as RAM in this country. As a negro expatriate with pretended pro-Chicom sympathies, SUGAR has also cultivated a reputation for sympathy toward the admittedly vague and diverse manifestations of "black nationalism", and toward such personalities as Robert Williams who embody it. We would be most interested in receiving both your comments on this general movement of opinion in the United States, and your descriptions of the organizations associated with it which could enable us to provide information and guidance to SUGAR for developing an association which would increase his operational access and effectiveness.

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13 February 1966

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, CI/OA

ATTENTION: Mr. John Brewer

SUBJECT: Field Investigation of QREBONY; Qrebony Clearance (201-306052)

1. Pursuant to our conversation of 11 February in your office, this memorandum requests that the usual field background investigation not be undertaken in the clearance process instituted for QREBONY.

2. We make this request for limitation because of our strong belief that such an investigation would run an unacceptably high risk--approaching certainty--of causing serious damage to QREBONY's reputation and therefore his effectiveness with the targets against which he is directed as an informant. In the past, both here and abroad, QREBONY has made warm enemies, as well as friends, among dissident and leftist circles. He has particularly alienated both U.S. Communist and Trotskyist elements, apparently by his dealings with them while serving as Executive Director of the Fair Play for Cuba Committee in the early 60's. His reputation for pro-Chicom sympathies--which is the basis of his present operational usefulness to us as a source--constitutes an additional grievance against him by such parties as the CPUSA and the CPGB which are pro-Moscow and anti-Peking. We know from independent sources as well as from his own testimony, that such hostility has taken the form of charges--completely false at the time--that he was an ODENVY or KUBARK agent. (Apparently a favored smear technique in such circles, this charge has been leveled in other cases with equal lack of justification.) These allegations against QREBONY have not prevented him from winning the apparent confidence of many leftist target elements who, if they are aware of them at all, no doubt realize the prevalence of such backbiting and gossip and who have not been prevented from developing personal and confidential relations with him. Such charges, however, do represent a dormant vulnerability: they have made Subject something of a controversial figure in a millieu which rightly feels itself a target for intelligence collection and is extremely sensitive to the dangers of penetration.

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3. Against the background of this vulnerability, it must also be stressed that the sources to be contacted by such a field investigation would include many individuals whose suspicions of government interest--and hostility toward it--we could not reasonably expect to disarm. QREBONY's career in the United States in FPCC and similar groups put him in contact with a wide range of individuals who are not merely sophisticated but highly sensitive concerning any such inquiry. It is not possible to conceive of any method of approach which would not provoke their suspicions that a government connection with QREBONY was involved. (It is, moreover, hardly likely that cooperation could be expected of any of them, except in such cases where the individual sensed an opportunity to record damaging information.) In view of what we know about the rapid circulation of gossip among such individuals, and their great interest in, and suspicions of government interest, such an inquiry could be calculated with reasonable confidence to spell the end of any effectiveness QREBONY could offer this Agency.

4. While we realize fully that the aim of such an inquiry is to resolve unknowns in an individual's background and develop materials beyond those presently available, we note that QREBONY has been a subject of continuing interest to ODENVY for many years, and that, as a result, the basic politically derogatory associations in his past are a matter of record. As you know, a successful polygraph was performed on him indicating the absence of IS connection beyond such associations, and confirming (to the extent that it can be said to do so) his assertions of loyalty despite them.

5. In requesting clearance in this case, we are seeking to exploit QREBONY's ability to report information to us which he receives in the course of his contacts with national liberation leaders, pro-Chinese communists and similar personalities. Such information represents general political and biographical material relative to the interests, activities and plans of such individuals. Requirements passed to him in this connection involve instructions for the refinement and completeness of the reporting he is capable of providing from his normal intercourse with source personalities. It is anticipated that his usefulness will be increased by travel to those areas where his access to targets known to him permits firsthand reporting. It is also anticipated that he may be able to serve selected CA purposes by surfacing information available to him, when this does not prejudice his cover status.

His use is understood to be, and has been, limited and precludes revelation of classified information, either by operational assignments supporting or servicing other KUBARK operations, witting participation in the recruitment of other agents, or the passing of such requirements as would reveal a classified status of KUBARK knowledge or interest in any collection target.

James M. Murphy
C/CA/CF

Austin Goodrich
CI/IC

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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OR INVESTIGATIVE ACTION
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DATE: 10 February 1966

TO: X CI/Operational Approval and Support Division
Security Support Division/Office of Security

FROM: James Murphy
CA/CP
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SUBJECT: (True name) Richard Thomas GIBSON

PROJECT: QREBONY

CRYPTONYM, PSEUDONYM, AKA OR ALIASES
QREBONY/1
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2. SPECIFIC AREA OF USE

International

3. FULL DETAILS OF USE

It was planned to use Subject in a test assignment at the Afro-Asian Journalists' Conference and the IX World Youth Festival, bothi in Algiers during summer 1965. When both of these events were cancelled, out test of Subject came to be based on his reporting capability relative to accessible contacts. His value confirmed in this way, we intend to help him expand his circle of contacts, using him as a penetration and informant on Afro-Asian national liberation and pro-Chicom elements in various countries.

4. INVESTIGATION AND COVER

	YES	NO
A. U.S. GOVERNMENT INTEREST MAY BE SHOWN DURING INVESTIGATION? See F below		X
B. CIA INTEREST MAY BE SHOWN DURING INVESTIGATION?		X
C. IS SUBJECT AWARE OF U.S. GOVERNMENT INTEREST IN HIM?	X	
D. IS SUBJECT AWARE OF CIA INTEREST IN HIM? CIA has not been explicitly identified, but subject doubtless suspects CIA interest.	X	

E. INDICATE ANY LIMITATIONS ON COVERAGE IN THE INVESTIGATION OF SUBJECT. No FBI - All info from them has been received and reviewed.

F. SUGGEST "COVER PRETEXT" TO BE USED IN CONDUCTING PERSONAL INVESTIGATION OF SUBJECT. Only extreme left-wing cover truly applicable. Very limited credit cover interest is conceivable but inadvisable in US.

IF NO INVESTIGATION OUTSIDE CIA, EXPLAIN FULLY
Possible long-range assignment to cover Communist targets in Algiers, Cairo or Djakarta makes case highly sensitive from the start.

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Freelance Journalist London, England

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Student John Hay Whitney Fellowship	Italy	1951 - 52
NCO U.S. Army	Germany, U.S.	52- 1954
Editor Revolution Africaine	Algiers	1962-64
Executive Secretary for Fair Play for Cuba Committee	New York	1961-62
Newswriter, XXX CBS News	New York	1959-61
English Editor Agence France Presse	Paris	1955-58
Freelance Italian Films Export & Christian Science	Rome	1952-52
Cub Reporter Philadelphia Afro-American	U.S.	1950-51

Xxx Founding member of Fair Play for Cuba Committee; member NAACP, Urban League and American Society of X African Culture

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Joy Marjorie Nee Kaye

Son - Frederick William Gordon Gibson DPOB 1958 Paris
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Attached herewith are copies of the reports prepared by AMPORE 2 concerning the Subjects of reference.

George D. SCORGONY

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ALGUNAS OPINIONES SOBRE LA VIDA Y PERSONALIDAD DE:

ROBERT TABER
RICHARD GIBSON
ROBERT WILLIAMS
WILLIAM WORTHY

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Robert Taber

(Los datos sobre la vida y currícula de estos señores anteriores a su visita a Cuba deberán encontrarse en otra parte.)

Bob es el mejor del grupo, casi el único que realmente vale. Hombre gran valor personal y un buen periodista, estuvo en la Sierra en 1957 y de nuevo en 1958, donde entrevistó y filmó una película para la CBS, de Fidel Castro y sus guerrilleros. Al triunfo de la Revolución, estuvo en Cuba de visita varias veces y fue luego uno de los fundadores del Fair Play Committee For Cuba. Aparentemente, perdió su puesto en CBS y se enajenó el amor de su esposa (de esto se quejaba a menudo en Cuba) por causa de la Revolución Cubana. Amigo personal de Raúl Roa y Gómez Wangüemert y también de Fidel Castro, según parecía en 1961. Con relaciones personales con Manuel Piñeiro (de quien se reía de sus ínfulas de policía) y Ramiro Valdés y Raúl Castro, aunque nunca pareció estimarlos mucho. Este sentimiento parecía recíproco. Gran enemistad hacia los miembros del PSP y enemistad de ellos hacia Taber, sobre todo de Aníbal Escalante y Joaquín Ordoqui y Carlos Rafael Rodríguez. Una de las tragedias en la vida de Bob Taber fue el darse cuenta de que se había malquistado con Fidel Castro por hacerle, personalmente y cada vez que lo veía, críticas periódicas. Fue entonces (a fines de 1960 y principios de 1961) que comenzaron verdaderamente sus problemas y que comprendió que no solamente había perdido el favor de sus amigos, sino que estaba en desgracia con sus enemigos. Fue esto, sin duda, lo que le hizo buscar la muerte en Playa Girón, mientras actuaba como corresponsal del periódico Revolución. Fue gravemente herido en un muslo y salvó la vida por pura suerte. Antes había renunciado a su pasaporte o había sostenido una polémica pública con periodistas o senadores norteamericanos, desde las páginas de "El Mundo", donde colaboraba. En Cuba por poco muere también, poco después, de una infección amebiásica contraída en Guatemala, en los días de la revolución contra Arbenz. A fines de 1961 salió de Cuba con un documento (ni siquiera pudieron darle un pasaporte cubano, el Ministerio de Relaciones Exteriores ya en manos totalmente de los comunistas) personal de identidad, tratando de ir a China como corresponsal, pero en Praga le negaron el permiso para visitar este país y la URSS. Pasó a Francia y luego a Londres —y de ahí regresó a USA vía Canadá.

Taber no es un comunista ni parece haberlo sido nunca. Es un romántico político y un hombre ingenuo, que creyó que la Revolución cubana, de alguna manera, encarnaba algo de los ideales de Jefferson y Lincoln, asombrosamente. Hoy sabe que nada hay que esperar del comunismo en general y de la Revolución Cubana en particular.

2. Robert Taber (continued)

En la actualidad mantiene lazos de amistad en Cuba con Carlos Franqui, Juan Arcocha y Gómez Wangüemert, ya que una de las características de Robert Taber es su sentido del agradecimiento. Es uno de los hombres que mejor conocen en USA la Revolución Cubana, sus motivaciones, sus verdaderas intenciones, sus intenciones enmascaradas, sus logros reales y falsos y sus verdaderos fracasos. Políticamente, por sus cartas, parece ser alguien que regresa a un socialismo ingenuo y primitivo, a lo Owen y Proudhon y aborrece el cinismo comunista de que el fin justifica los medios.

En Cuba, en 1961, realizó un acto de gran coraje intelectual, poco después del coraje físico en Playa Girón, al ser el único periodista (siendo extranjero, además) que defendió el film "P.M.", que prohibieran Alfredo Guevara y el ICAIC y que originara la gran, primera purga de intelectuales de izquierda y fueran el pretexto para las llamadas Conversaciones de la Biblioteca Nacional y el famoso discurso de Fidel Castro a los intelectuales, tan citado dondequiera. El artículo de Taber fue aceptado por la dirección del periódico El Mundo, pero no fue publicado--aunque Fidel Castro conociera su contenido al ser leído públicamente en una de las sesiones de la Biblioteca. Este gesto apresuró su salida de Cuba y selló su suerte política.

Richard Gibson

Ultimamente residía en París con su esposa francesa. Era director de la edición en Inglés del mensuario "Revolution", publicado en Lausana por Jacques Vergés, antiguo director de "Revolution Africaine", argelino de madre china y amigo de Ben Bella, con quien disputó al probársele que recibía dinero de China Comunista para expresar los puntos de vistas chinos en el periódico argelino. "Revolution" era o es (ignoro si se publica todavía) financiado por China Roja. Gibson salió de su puesto en esta publicaciones, al ser acusado de ser un agente infiltrado de la CIA. En 1964 estuvo en Bruselas, ofreciendo una conferencia en la ULB (Universidad Libre), con motivo de una Exposición Latinoamericana, auspiciada por la facción pro-china de la Federación Comunista de Estudiantes de Bélgica (Federación de Bruselas) y pagada por el grupo de disidentes del PCB, Grippa, Reindorf, etc. Esa noche habló sobre la Revolución cubana y su visita a Cuba y en la presidencia del acto estaba el propio Jacques Grippa.

Richard Gibson estuvo en Cuba en 1960, invitado especialmente por el periódico Revolución y por el magazine Lunes de Revolución. Era entonces presidente del Fair Play for Cuba Committee. Fue invitado a sugerencias de Bob Taber por Pablo Armando Fernández, que viajó a Nueva York para invitar a un grupo de intelectuales negros norteamericanos a los festejos del 26 de julio de 1960. Junto con Richard Gibson viajaron a Cuba Robert Williams, Leroy Jones, Julian Mayfield, su esposa y un nutrido grupo de escritores y poetisas negras. Fue entonces que Williams conoció a Cuba. La presencia de Gibson fue mal acogida por el PSP y los núcleos intelectuales y políticos que en Cuba giraban en la órbita del Partido Comunista Cubano, ya que Gibson era acusado por el PC de USA de dejar fuera del Comité Pro Justo Trato a Cuba a prominentes figuras comunistas norteamericanas, mientras daba cabida en el mismo a trotzkyistas y gente de la Nueva Izquierda. Williams, por su parte, era considerado un agitador casi anarquista, por estos mismos círculos comunistas cubano-americanos.

Richard Gibson es hombre de un carácter turbio. Un buen periodista y no mal escritor, pero una persona más bien desagradable, dentro de un complejo no solamente político, sino también psicológico, alimentados por su problema racial. Es un intelectual fracasado y hombre poco franco, de una comunicabilidad torcida. La policía francesa le consideraba un agente al servicio de una potencia extranjera--China Roja.

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Robert Williams

Robert Williams es considerado en Cuba como una calamidad que hay que soportar---al menos esa es la opinión que se tiene de él en los círculos políticos y revolucionarios y oficiales. Conversé con él, brevemente, en La Habana, en agosto de 1965. Es hombre con quien no se puede hablar mucho, no solamente por su complicado acento del Deep Spouth, sino también por su incoherencia mental y verbal. Suele vérsele acompañado siempre de un traductor, por lo general un negro cubano. Su penúltimo traductor fue Carlos Moore, que hoy reside en París y que provocó una aguda polémica en los círculos cubanos y amigos de Cuba en Francia, al publicar en el periódico "Solidarité Africaine" un artículo que tomaba las tesis del intelectual negro cubano, Walterio Carbonell, sobre la pretendida discriminación racial que existe en los medios políticos y dirigentes cubanos. Este asunto tuvo repercusiones en Cuba y no solo trajo problemas al verdadero autor del artículo (Walterio Carbonell, hoy expulsado de la Unión de Escritores de Cuba), sino al propio Williams; quien más de una vez había expresado tal opinión en público y en privado. Las desventuras de Williams no comenzaron aquí, sino cuando insistió en su línea china revolucionaria mucho tiempo después que todos los medios políticos, oficiales, intelectuales y dirigentes de Cuba se habían re-orientado hacia Moscú. Williams complicó su situación con un viaje a China Roja y a su vuelta a Cuba se encuentra casi aislado y ya no suele ver a Fidel Castro, a Dorticós y a los otros dirigentes revolucionarios con la facilidad con que solía hacerlo antes. Todavía conserva muchos de sus privilegios (el traductor perenne, la casa, la comida, la educación de sus hijos y, creo, que la hora radial anti-americana), pero solamente porque su caso es muy conocido fuera de Cuba y en el Sur llegó a tener una cierta audiencia después de su fuga de Estados Unidos a Cuba y de haber dispuesto de una potente emisora (Radio Habana Cuba) para sus confusos mensajes de odio racial.

No me extrañaría que Robert Williams fuese declarado insano por un grupo de psiquíatras competente. En Cuba, la gente de la calle, lo tiene por tal. Ahora, en la Conferencia Tricontinental, estará asimilando su inestabilidad psíquica a la teoría de la revolución permanente --o a la lucha de la liberación de los pueblos de color.

William Worthy

Es el menos conocido de los cuatro y quizás el más peligroso, porque es el más estable emocionalmente, el más mediocre y más trabajador del grupo. Fue a Cuba en 1961, recomendado por Richard Gibson y el Fair Play Committee, pero también por su cuenta. Se hospedó en el Havana Riviera, no sin dificultades, pues sus puntos de vista, nada asimilables por los comunistas cubanos, fieles perritos de Moscú, le atrajeron el odio del PSP y una --ligera acusación-- de posible agente del FBI infiltrado en el Movimiento Negro y en Cuba. Hablé poco con él y solamente recuerdo su extraño acento, tal vez de Chicago o simplemente algún defecto anatómico, su aspecto de metodista negro y los shorts de cuero de alpinista italiano que siempre usaba en el hotel. Luego se hizo famoso en Cuba y en Europa, cuando fue procesado por haber ido a Cuba y a China Comunista sin permiso válido. Worthy no es un fánatico ni un comunista ni un oportunista, pero parecía en camino de convertirse en un abanderado de cualquier causa que le fuera afín. Entonces me pareció que esta causa sería el Movimiento Por Avances de la Gente de Color. Hoy podría ser la Revolución Negra o Latinoamericana --o, simplemente, mundial.

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Chief of Station, Paris/LCPIPIT XX

Chief, KUWOLF

DTDORIC/QRPREY/QREBONY

ACTION REQUIRED: FYI

REF: A. PALP 5033 (IN 96553)
B. OFLA 3128 (18 November 1965)

1. We have discussed the substance of the question raised in Ref B through the regular Headquarters channel with the ODENVY Rep here who has acted as a point of liaison for QREBONY material in the past. We passed on, also, the materials which you prepared for the ODENVY representative with whom you are in contact in Paris. We raised specifically the question of passing QREBONY's identity to the Paris ODENVY representative, which you mentioned in Ref B, stating that, so far as KUBARK is concerned, we had no objections. The ODENVY representative here, however, thought that this might serve to confuse somewhat the lines of coordination for QREBONY's information, for which ODENVY headquarters has sole responsibility. He therefore felt that we should continue the present arrangement by which, in effect, QREBONY's identity is held here at the point where his material within ODENVY originates. He appreciated, however, your initiative in filling in the Paris ODENVY representative on the targets which QREBONY can service, thus alerting him to possible leads he might look into. He suggests also that we be kept aware of your liaison with ODENVY in the field to guard against false confirmation or other possible duplication which could lead to confusion here in those quarters of ODENVY responsible for processing the QREBONY material.

2. With respect to Freedomways, discussed in Ref A, and Q's possible relationship with it, we will report separately.

Newell D. KAMMERMAYER

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REF PARI 8052 (IN 39470)

22 DEC 64 IN 47512

1. UNBOUND HAS MADE AVAILABLE TO ODENVY SAME INFO AS CONTAINED REF. ODENVY LOND INSIST THEY HAVE NO OPS INTEREST GIBSON. SERIOUSLY DOUBT EITHER SMOTH OR JAGUAR HAVE ANY RELATIONSHIP GIBSON., SINCE WOULD BE GROSS (AND SOONER OR LATER APPARENT) CONTRAVENTION OUR AGREEMENTS RE USE ONE ANOTHER'S NATIONALS.

2. LOND PHONE DIRECTORY LISTS JEFFREYS ALFRED HENRY AND MARKS (CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS), 9 BASINGHALL ST., E.C.2. NO STA TRACES.

3. ODENVY FILES HERE REFLECT FURTHER INFO ON CHARGES GIBSON A KUBARKER, ALTHOUGH NOTHING TO INDICATE BASIS FOR SUCH CHARGES. (SEE ODENVY/WASH LETTER TO KUBARK INFO ODENVY/LOND AND PARI, 1 DEC64, CAPTIONED RICHARD THOMAS GIBSON.) CAN HQS SHED ANY LIGHT?

4. SINCE ARRIVAL LOND, GIBSON HAS BEEN IN TOUCH WITH CUBAN EMB

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AND MR. KENNETH TYNAN (LATTER IN CONNECTON JOB POSSIBILITY FOR GIBSON). (THIS INFO SENSITIVE, FROM SMOTH. HQS SEE OEL 39690 AND OEL 39490.)

5. SMOOTHERS HAVE PREVIOUSLY ACKNOWLEDGED THEY WOULD LIKE SCUTTLE REVOLUTION REPEAT REVOLUTION. REQUEST LOND BE ADVISED OF SCHEME OF DIR 63751. THEN, IF APPROPRIATE, SUGGEST WE DISCUSS WITH SMOTH/JAGUAR/LCBEFORE AS NECESSARY TO ENLIST THEIR COOPERATION. JAGUAR IN PARTICULAR MAY BE USEFUL IN PROVIDING CURRENT DATA ON GIBSON AND MAY BE ABLE GET SOMEONE CLOSE TO HIM IN ORDER OBTAIN OPS DATA IN SUPPORT ANY PLAN FOR OP AGAINST REVOLUTION REPEAT REVOLUTION. PLS ADVISE.

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* UNBound INFO Re Richard GIBSON.

R I C H A R D   G I B S O N

30, Stockleigh Hall
Prince Albert Road
London, N.W.8
Tel.: PRI 8778

Age: 34.   Born: Los Angeles, Calif., U.S.A., 13 May 1931.

Married - wife English.   Three children - ages 7, 9 and 5 mos.

Education: Primary schools, Philadelphia, Pa., U.S.A.
Central High School, Philadelphia, Pa.
Kenyon College, Gambier, Ohio (read English lit.)
University of Rome (Italian lit., 1951-52)
Sorbonne, Paris (French studies, 1955)
Columbia University Graduate School, New York
(CBS Fellowship, 1960-61)

First entered journalism in 1950 as reporter-clerk for Philadelphia Afro-American, a Negro weekly.

In 1951-52, while attending the University of Rome, I worked as legman for Edmund Stevens, then chief of the Mediterranean News Bureau of the Christian Science Monitor of Boston. I also did parttime work -- English-language public relations -- for Italian Films Export, a semi-governmental Italian agency for the export of Italian films to English-speaking countries.

1953-54: drafted into U.S. Army. Served as non-com in Trieste, West Germany and U.S.A.

1955-58: English-language editor, Agence France-Presse, the French national news agency in Paris. Aldo wrote for the Agence Intercontinentale, AFP's feature service.

1959-61: newswritten for Columbia Broadcasting System for radio and television in New York. Fired from this job because of my activities in founding the Fair Play for Cuba Committee in the U.S.A. to support the Cuban Revolution.

1961-62: Secretary-treasurer of the Institute for the Improvement of Inter-American Relations, Inc., chartered as an "educational foundation" under the laws of the State of New York. The Fair Play for Cuba Committee was a permanent committee of the Institute. As the chief paid officer of the organization, I directed a public relations campaign aimed at countering U.S. propaganda against Cuba. I published books, newsletters and placed advertizing on behalf of Cuba in the U.S. press.

1962-64: English-language editor of the international review Revolution. Was one of the founding editors of Revolution Africaine in Algiers and was later sent to Switzerland to edit a monthly in English. Directed all aspects of the editing, publishing and distribution of the magazine.

1965- : Publisher of Richard Gibson Reports, a regular news and features service, mainly for Afro-American newspapers.

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DTDORIC QRPREY QREBONY

REFS: A. LOND 0723 (IN 00407)

B. DIR 61637

1. CONSULTATION WITH STATE CONTACT YIELDS FOLLOWING:

A. TRAVEL WITH U.S. PASSPORT FROM AREA OUTSIDE U.S. CONSIDERED TECHNICAL VIOLATION, NOT BASIS FOR CRIMINAL PROSECUTION.

B. EVIDENCE OF SUCH TRAVEL, E.G. CUBAN VISA STAMP, IS BASIS FOR ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION BY STATE DEPT AGAINST HOLDER OF PASSPORT. I.E. WHEN HE PRESENTS HIS PASSPORT FOR RENEWAL, EMBASSY WILL REFER TO DEPARTMENT FOR GUIDANCE. ~~USUALLY RESULTING IN ISSUANCE OF NEW PASSPORT GOOD ONLY FOR ONE WAY TRAVEL HOME.~~

C. DESPITE REF A REPORT FROM ODENVY THAT LOND PASSPORT FILE IS CLEAN, DEPARTMENT CONTACT HERE CANNOT ASSURE THAT LOND PASSPORT OFFICE PROCEDURES WOULD AUTOMATICALLY RENEW QREBONY PASSPORT ON REQUEST, WITHOUT REFERRAL TO DEPT IF SUCH MADE, THERE MAY EXIST DEROG IN EBONY PASSPORT FILE HERE RESULTING IN INSTRUCTIONS TO LOND EMBASSY ISSUE LIMITED PASSPORT FOR TRAVEL HOME. CAN NOT CLARIFY FURTHER STATUS EBONY FILE HERE WITHOUT DIVULGING TRUE NAME.

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2. IN ANY CASE WE ABLE PROTECT QREBONY THRU CLEARED STATE CONTACT. IF EBONYS REQUEST FOR RENEWAL IS REFERRED TO DEPARTMENT BECAUSE OF CUBAN TRAVEL OR SOME OTHER CAUSE, WE CAN HAVE DEPT INSTRUCT EMB ISSUE FULL RENEWAL ON BASIS THERE INSUFFICIENT LEGAL GROUNDS PROCEED OTHERWISE.

3. PLEASE ADVISE WHEN EBONY PASSPORT EXPIRES. IF IT HAS BEEN RENEWED RECENTLY, CUBAN VISA WILL PRESENT NO PROBLEM FOR LIFE OF DOCUMENT. EBONY SHOULD NOT ATTEMPT RENEW WITHOUT PRIOR COORDINATION WITH HQS.

4. PLEASE ADVISE ALSO WHETHER EBONY HAS RECEIVED CUBAN VISA FOR TRAVEL, HOW ACQUIRED, AND WHAT ARRANGEMENTS HE PLANS FOR TRAVEL. APPRECIATE BREAKDOWN ESTIMATED TRAVEL COSTS.

END OF MESSAGE

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References:

A. OFIA 3044 (Not sent Chief, CSB, Frankfurt; COS, Germany; COS, Paris)

B. FRAN 9240

1. Forwarded herewith is a Memorandum for the record concerning Paris/LCPIPIT's investigation of the security of QHEBONY/1's S/W communications system following an episode involving an 11 October 1965 message received from him by LCPIPIT.

2. We request Headquarters' guidance concerning this situation, with special reference to Paragraph 3 of the attached Memorandum, in order that we may take all appropriate steps to resolve the problem of maintaining secure communications with QHEBONY/1, especially in view of the plans to send QHEBONY/1 on an extended visit to Cuba commencing sometime in mid-December 1965.

Harvey C. FAIRRICH

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MEMORANDUM FOR: The Record

FROM : Harvey G. FAHNRICH

SUBJECT : Security of QREBONY/1 S/W Communications System

REFERENCES : A. OFLA 3044
B. PALP 4385
C. FRAN 5087

1. In early June of this year KUWOLF developmental agent QREBONY/1 (formerly STEBONY/1) was trained by KUWOLF Career Agent Rufus F. RODIGAST in the use of the S/W system prescribed by MKTOPAZ per Reference C. QREBONY/1 took one carbon sheet of the system with him on a brief trip to North Africa and used it for four messages in the latter part of June. Concurrently, Paris Station TECHS, on LCPIPIT's behalf, requested in OFPT 10348 that MKTOPAZ prepare for QREBONY/1's use an S/W carbon pad which would alleviate the carbon concealment problem for the agent. The pad was received subsequently and passed to QREBONY/1 on 18 July 1965, at which time his original single carbon sheet was withdraw.

2. QREBONY/1 first used his new S/W pad for a message dated 22 July 1965, comments on which were transmitted to interested KUBARK Headquarters and Field components in Reference B. QREBONY/1 underwent a corrective briefing on the use of his pad on 4 August 1965, carbon No. 1 (rearmost of three in the back of his pad) was withdrawn since it bore an imprint of the 22 July message, and QREBONY/1 was authorized to use carbon No. 2 (middle of three) but only for "essential" messages. (a 24 July S/W message was also critiqued at the 4 August meeting--because the carbon impression was relatively weak.)

3. On the basis of LCPIPIT's instruction to refrain from using his S/W pad except for "essential" messages, QREBONY/1 did not employ it again until 11 October 1965. The nature of the message indeed met the criteria for use of the pad, but as in the 22 July letter the message was clearly legible without development. To quote Paris Station TECHS:

> "SW impressions were clearly visible under Ultraviolet Light (short wave and long wave) and also under a plain desk light."

On the basis of this report, QREBONY/1's previous performance in use of the pad, and the fact that the next point from which he was to use the pad would be Algiers, LCPIPIT determined that the risk of compromise outweighed the necessity of QREBONY/1 carrying this communications system with him and withdrew the S/W pad on 20 October 1965. LCPIPIT retains possession of

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the pad which contains the two remaining carbon sheets (No. 2 detached and inserted in the back of the pad, No. 3 still bound in the pad.) The 11 October message is clearly legible to the naked eye on carbon No. 2.

4. Of greater concern to LCPIPIT, however, were the following additional comments of Paris Station TECHS regarding the 11 October message:

> "The envelope you sent has evidence of tampering. There was glue bleeding plus fiber tears. Plus, additional glue had been added to the upper flap (glue must have run and was sticking inside on the letter.)"

5. In the 20 October meeting at which his S/W pad was withdrawn QREBONY/1 stated that he had written the 11 October message on a sheet of glass, perhaps with a pencil that was too soft. He conceded that there was some imprint on the carbon, but nothing which could be read on the actual message sheet. He said he wrote the message at 1100 hours when he was alone at his home and burned the remainder of the message stack immediately. He said he then put the message in an envelope immediately and sealed it gently under another sheet of paper to avoid rubbing it. He added that he then placed the proper postage on the envelope, placed it in his pocket, and mailed it two hours later at the closest mailbox to him home. QREBONY/1 asserted that he did not reopen the letter after sealing and was certain that his wife had not seen it.

6. Pursuant to LCPIPIT's exploration of this question with QREBONY/1 we sent an informal note to MKTOPAZ via a Paris Station Officer on 20 October 1965 requesting assistance in efforts to determine whether QREBONY/1's correspondence was indeed subject to tampering. MKTOPAZ prepared five "booby-trapped" envelopes for our use. Two of these were mailed to the LCPIPIT letter drop from two different cities on the continent, and the remaining three were passed to QREBONY/1 on 5 November for him to mail from his home.

7. The five "boody-trapped" envelopes were picked up at the LCPIPIT letter drop over a period of a week and were handcarried by a Paris Station Officer to Frankfurt on 18 November for processing by MKTOPAZ. Paris/LCPIPIT asked the opinion of MKTOPAZ on the following points:

a) Was there evidence of tampering with any of the five envelopes?
b) If so, which envelopes bore evidence of tampering?
c) Was it possible to determine from a study of the cachets whether such tampering occurred before or after the cachets were applied?
d) Did such tampering appear to be of a professional or of an amateur nature?
e) Any other MKTOPAZ observations which would help LCPIPIT determine the source of any tampering that may have taken place.

8. MKTOPAZ advised LCPIPIT on 19 November via FRAN 9240 that there was "no evidence of tampering on the five booby-trapped letters."

Report QREBONY/1's Security Aspects

OFLA-3146/1
30 Nov. 1965

In reply to the attached (Memo on Home Situation) Rodigast told QREBONY/1:

1. We can't do anything about his housing problem in view of non-permanent nature of our present arrangement.

2. Avoid formalizing periodical at this point; it should require no authorizations for publication as it is merely a news correspondent's report, mimeographed for convenience--not a magazine.

3. In order to control content, Q alone should have responsibility for putting out issues-- can't delegate to wife and above all to other contacts.

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<u>KTG:</u>

HOME SITUATION

My wife was rather hostile to my news about my contacts with the Chinese comrades. She said she was sorry I couldn't work something out with Metropolitan Features. I hadn't done enough work for them because I was lazy, she said. She said if I weren't careful I'd be treated by the Chinese just as Nils. What future was there in that? she asked. Anyway, she added, I didn't really give a damn about the Chinese.

She pointed out the situation was difficult for us. The landlord in London was trying to evict us and we had no idea where we were going. I had no substantial funds from the Chinese and was still living on the generosity of the Americans (Metropolitan), she said.

Moreover, she was tired of being a grass widow. I was keeping secrets from her, she had been certain for sometime, she said. She had had enough trouble with my "secrets" in the past, she said.

However, she liked the idea of ___ Reports, but was sorry about the "objectivity" and the 50 copies only limit. There was no reason, if I could get some help from the Chinese, that I couldn't make a success of the newsletter and really be independent, she said.

I emphasized to her that I had had contacted with the Chinese without Nils' knowledge and that she should on no account ever mention the matter with him. She said that showed how the Chinese treated people. Nobody was more honest than Nils, she added. What was happening to him now would happen to me one day, she said.

However, she was genuinely pleased with the newsletter and spent some time trying to collect material for the dummy I was preparing. She wrote x herself a piece on C.A.R.D. (I havex the feeling that a lot of her resentment would be dissipated if she would allowed to handle most of the business involved with the newsletter.)

The housing problem remains a serious one and we may have to move. A temporary furnished flat in London would cost us at least £25 to £30 a week today — at present, we pay £12-12-0 per week. We have given the case to a lawyer, but, because it is a furnished flat, we will probably have to get out sometime soon.

The other important question to be settled is that of a mailing address for the Report. Should I get a London mail drop and run the risks of running into the Home Office or should I get a lawyer and set the thing up legally, perhaps under my wife's (British subject) name? In that case, I could take a one-room office somewhere around Fleet St. and my wife could take care of the mail with an occasional office temporary worker during my absence.

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I suggest that the Report always be mailed out from the same address, London or whereever. My wife will be able to get sufficient copy from various people, such as Pomeroy and Jeanne Pynor [30-year old freelance journalist who specializes in African affairs, now married to a Kenya parasitologist studying in London, formerly worked for Dennis Phombeah]. For my purposes, if I can obtain press rates, I can wire copy to London ~~xx~~ from Havana or Dar es Salaam, thus giving tangible evidence of my activities as a bonafide newsman. It would be helpful if I could get an American Cable & Radio System Credit (Transferred Account) Card, such as I got from Revolucion in Havana for use at the U.N. in 1961.

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Copy to Katzenbach

18 Nov 65

OFLA 3146/1

Subject: QREBONY/1 - Security at home

1. At his 17 November meeting with Rodigast QREBONY/1 (Q) was asked some questions concerning keep of files and correspondence. He keeps copies of all correspondence (except routine letters transmitting articles he has written, for example) in a file to which his wife has access. He maintains a minimum of questionable notes, and keeps his personal notebook (with addresses, expenses, etc.) in his coat pocket day and night.

2. His wife has two brothers. The one to whom Q owes money is Gordon, a chartered accountant, who during World War II was in British Military Intelligence. He visits the Q home to bring gifts from the wife's mother to the Q children, but has a cat-and-dog relationship with Q's wife; indeed, he will not stay for a meal because he can't stand talking to her, and the feeling is mutual. Q is certain she would never think of confiding in Gordon, for example to say: "Look at these awful letters Q has written!" Gordon is more likely to confide in Q himself. Gordon's politics are apparently solidly conservative. (His wife's other brother, less involved with them, works for Rank.)

3. Q mailed the three test letters as follows: one in the morning, the two following on successive afternoons, at the local box in the normal way. One of the three envelopes actually contained a note: a simple statement that "William" (Guillermo) had not defected but his brother had (Cabrera Infante), information acquired from a Cuban official (see separate contact reports).

4. Q wanted to get a lawyer's opinion on what regulations govern publishing a periodical in his country of residence (he is not of course officially a resident at all). Sensing additional costs and unnecessary formality, Rodigast suggested that he keep it on the basis of being a correspondent's reports, not a separate commercial press venture requiring eventual licenses or payment of business taxes, at least for the time being. Mailed first class, the material should require no permit from the mail authorities. A contact had suggested he might have difficulty with the locals (see report of Q's 15 November contact with WP).

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1. PALP POUCHING DETAILS FIELD LIAISON WITH ODENVY/PARIS RE EXCHANGE INFO PERTAINING QREBONY PBPRIME CITIZEN CONTACTS. QREBONY/1 (Q) IDENTITY NOT DIVULGED LOCALLY.

2. AMONG INFO RECEIVED FROM ODENVY IS REPORT DATED 17 DEC 64 NEW YORK (FILE NO: BUFILE 100-434819) RE FREEDOMWAYS ASSOCIATES, INC (F). REQUEST HDQRS STUDY THIS DOCUMENT WITH PURPOSE ASSESSING FEASIBILITY HAVING Q ENTER INTO CONTACT WITH F IN ATTEMPT SECURE SPONSORSHIP/OUTLET HIS JOURNALISTIC VENTURES, INCLUDING POSSIBLE COVER RE PROJECTED TRIP HAVANA.

3. APPRECIATE Q-F LINK MAY BE INADVISABLE IN VIEW: A) F RELATIONSHIP CPUSA; B) Q'S CLAIM HE ON CPUSA BLACKLIST; C) SEEMING INCOMPATIBILITY BETWEEN INDIRECT ASSOCIATION CPUSA AND EFFORTS BUILD BONA FIDES AMONG PRO-PEKING ACTIVISTS AND ORGANIZATIONS

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IN NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENT. ALSO APPRECIATE Q-F ASSOCIATION SHOULD BE DISCUSSED WITH ODENVY.

4. FOREGOING NOT YET DISCUSSED WITH Q OR RODIGAST AND WILL NOT BE RAISED WITH FORMER PENDING HDQS REPLY.

5. NO INDEX.

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Chief of Station, PARIS/LCPIPIT

DYDORIC/Operational
QREBONY 20 October 1965 Contact with LCPIPIT

1. Forwarded herewith as Attachment A is Career Agent Rufus F. RODIGAST's Contact Report of his 20 October 1965 meeting with QREBONY/1.

2. Forwarded as Attachment B (USC) is the identity list for RODIGAST's Contact Report.

3. Forwarded herewith as Attachment C is the "Progress Report" submitted by QREBONY/1 to RODIGAST at the 20 October meeting. A careful review of the report's content did not justify KUTUBE dissemination of any of the material therein.

4. Copies of recent correspondence addressed to and sent by QREBONY/1 will be forwarded by nonaccountable manifest as appropriate.

5. Paragraph 5 of Attachment A refers to a security flap which has arisen in QREBONY/1's use of his S/W system. In a letter to LCPIPIT dated and postmarked 11 October and picked up by LCPIPIT 14 October, QREBONY/1 had prepared an S/W message. LCPIPIT received the following report from TECHS in Paris concerning this letter: "The envelope you sent has evidence of tampering. There was glue bleeding plus fiber tears, plus additional glue had been added to the upper flap (glue must have run and was sticking inside on the letter). S/W impressions were clearly visible under ultraviolet light (short wave and long wave) and also under a plain desk light."

Attachments: As stated.

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6. Because of QHBONY/1's repeated carelessness in use of his S/W system and the obvious risk inherent in his seeking to use this system from Algeria, LCPIPIT withdrew the system from him at the 30 October meeting. His carbon sheet carried deep impressions that were easily readable by the naked eye. Also, we have, in cooperation with KUSODA/Paris, taken urgent action on an informal basis (to be followed up by dispatch) to have MKTOPAZ prepare a set of envelopes in order that we may run a series of tests on the possibility, as well as the source, of tampering with QHBONY/1's correspondence to us. A full report on this matter, including its resolution, will be forwarded appropriate addressees as soon as the investigation can be completed.

Harvey G. PAIRRICH

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INFO. Chief, WE; Chief, ~~AF~~; Chief, KUWOLF; Chief, LCPIPIT KUDESK

FROM: Chief of Station, London

SUBJECT: STEBONY QRPREY JAGUAR
JAGUAR Report on STEBONY/1

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

Ref: A OELA 43,522, 2 July 1965
B OELA 43,802, 11 August 1965

1. The following is the text of a JAGUAR report on STEBONY/1 and Marc SCHLEIFER. JAGUAR states that the information was received from a "most secret and delicate source which has been found reliable on previous occasions."

"STEBONY/1 was in contact with Marc SCHLEIFER while the latter was staying in London with his family, en route for Algeria. SCHLEIFER had planned to leave London for Algiers via Paris on the 2nd June, but he deferred his departure in order to meet STEBONY/1. It seems that SCHLEIFER wanted, if possible, to visit Tanzania also. STEBONY/1 apparently was prepared to help SCHLEIFER and his family to find accommodation while they were in London because they had little money. He is also reported to have said that there was a possibility of his co-operating with SCHLEIFER in Africa.

"According to our source, SCHLEIFER, while in London, arranged to contact the Tanzanian Mission, in connection with a job in Dar-es-Salaam which might be taken by either SCHLEIFER or STEBONY/1."

2. Ref A contains previous JAGUAR comments about STEBONY/1 and SCHLEIFER, of about the same period. While TIFFANY was in London (which puts it at the right time) STEBONY/1 was in touch with SCHLEIFER, and TIFFANY should be able to compare JAGUAR's comments with what STEBONY/1 said at the time. Ref B reflects a different contact between the two, from a different source.

George H. KATZENBACH

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DTDORIC QRPREY STEBONY KUDESK

REF ALGI 6529 (IN 58850)

1. RELUCTANT GIVE UP STEBONY/1 (S) FOR FOLLOWING REASONS:

A. S TO BE ACCREDITED JOURNALIST TO CONFERENCE, WITH RENEWED PRESS AUTHORIZATION AND NEW VISA. AS GUEST NEW REGIME WITH NO CONNECTION TO OLD, LESS LIKELY TO BE DISTURBED. S TO REMAIN IN NORMAL CONFERENCE MILIEU THROUGHOUT.

B. EVIDENCE AVAILABLE HERE IS ONLY ORTHODOX COMMUNISTS OR TROTSKYISTS ASSOCIATED WITH OLD REGIME HAVE BEEN TROUBLED, BUT NOT PRO-CHINESE. S IS PART OF MINORITY WHICH FOLLOWED CHINESE IN SUPPORTING NEW REGIME FROM FIRST DAY.

C. MOST OF S' OLD LIBERATION MOVEMENT CONTACTS IN ALGI ARE GONE SO HE NOT LIKELY BE INVOLVED WITH THEM. EXCEPTION IS ARNAUD WHO SEEMS TO HAVE MADE PEACE WITH REGIME. S' OTHER CONTACTS WILL BE LIKE HIMSELF BE GUESTS OF NEW REGIME AND OF CONFERENCE. THEY WILL USUALLY BE PRO-CHINESE ELEMENTS SUCH AS AAJA BANDUNG CROWD.

D. WE CONTINUE HOLD TO ORIGINAL VIEW THAT S ATTENDANCE AT

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CONFERENCE WOULD BE USEFUL TO BUILD UP HIS CONTACTS AND COVER FOR FURTHER OPERATIONS. S WILL CONTINUALLY BE MOVING IN POTENTIALLY HOSTILE CIRCLES; THIS COULD BE TRUE OF TRIPS HAVANA, DARE, DJAK AT SOME TIME OR ANOTHER. IN VIEW OF NATURE OF OPERATION, THE RISK WOULD SEEM TO BE WORTH TAKING.

2. PALP UNABLE EVALUATE POSSIBLE COMPLICATIONS VERGES REAPPEARANCE MIGHT PRESENT. AS OF 15 SEPT S NOT OVERLY APPREHENSIVE.

3. PALP REMAINS MOST INTERESTED DISCUSSING ABOVE WITH ALGI OFFICER PER PALP 4689 (IN 56988) AND PALP 4712 (IN 59208). PLS ADVISE.

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* ALGI CONCLUDED IT UNWISE TRY HAVE STEBONY/1 OPERATE IN ALGI

CFN 4723 6529 STEBONY/1 S S NO CONNECTION S MILIEU TROTSKYISTS NOT PRO-CHINESE S CHINESE S' ALGI ARNAUD S' PRO-CHINESE AAJA BANDUNG S S HAVANA DARE DJAK PALP VERGES 15 S NOT OVERLY PALP ALGI PER PALP 4689 PALP 4712 PLS

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1. IN 15 SEPT MEETING STEBONY/1 (S) TOLD RODIGAST PABLO FERNANDEZ (F)

NAMED AMBASSADOR LOND PER LEE BAXENDALL 1 SEPT REMARKS TO S AND 5 SEPT STORY LONDON "OBSERVER". (BAXENDALL EDITS "VIET REPORT" OF U.S. "EMERGENCY COMMITTEE ON VIETNAM" AND HAS BEEN AN EDITOR OF "STUDIES ON THE LEFT.")

2. FIVE SEPT S CABLED F C/O FORNMIN HAVANA ASKING F CONTINUED SUPPORT S EFFORTS RE FREE RIDE HAVANA AND ROBERT WILLIAMS CONTACT.

3. S HAS KNOWN F AND WIFE SINCE 1963. F WIFE'S FAMILY HAS FURNITURE BUSINESS NEW YORK CITY AND F WORKED LAS AMERICAS BOOKSTORE AND PUBLISHING HOUSE.

4. S HAS MET WITH F IN NYC HAVANA PARI LOND OVER PAST FIVE YEARS. THOUGH CLOSE FRIENDS, S CLAIMS F WARY OF HIM BECAUSE OF S "PRO-CHINESE" ORIENTATION (BUT NOT BECAUSE OF OLD CHARGES S IS KUBARK AGENT.)

5. S CLAIMS F NONAMARXIST, NOT EMOTIONALLY ANTI-AMERICAN, NOT IDEOLOGICALLY MOTIVATED, NEITHER COMMUNIST NOR ANTI-COMMUNIST. F "FRANK" WITH S THAT HE HAS BEEN ACCUSED IN CUBA OF HOMOSEXUALITY, BUT S SAYS F

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ALSO SHOWS INTEREST IN WOMEN. F/S WIFE NOT PHYSICALLY ATTRACTIVE AND OTHER ACQUAINTANCES CLAIM HE MARRIED FOR MONEY.

6. S SAYS F DOES NOT APPEAR HAVE MUCH MONEY AND HAS MAINTAINED MODEST LOND APARTMENT.

7. F'S WIFE WORKS CUBAN EMBASSY. WIFE'S SISTER CAME LOND AT BIRTH F'S THIRD CHILD THREE MONTHS AGO. ON RETURNING HAVANA WITH F 31 AUG UNDERSTANDING WAS SHE TO CARE FOR INFANT SIX MONTHS SINCE F'S WIFE WORKED MORNINGS EMBASSY AND COULDNOT CARE FOR INFANT UNDER SUCH CONDITIONS. why didn't S/1 report this at the time? A?

8. S SAYS F TOLD HIM MONTH AGO HE WANTED TRANSFER MADR OR HOPED OBTAIN FELLOWSHIP OR LEAVE ABSENCE PERMITTING STAY WESTERN EUROPE. DESCRIBES F AS POET OF BEATNIK BENT BUT NATIONALIST "LIKE ROA AND FRANQUI". S CLAIMS F LOST NOTHING IN COMMUNIST TAKE-OVER CUBA.

9. A. MANCHANDA, PEKING-LEANING EDITOR VIRTUALLY BANKRUPT "WEST INDIAN GAZETTE" JUST RETURNED LOND FROM PEKING HAS PREVIOUSLY TOLD S THAT F SPOKE AT COMMUNIST RALLIES LOND AND TOOK PRO-MOSCOW LINE ON SINO-SOVIET ISSUES. S KNOWS NOTHING OF THIS AND QUESTIONS MANCHANDA ACCURACY. 22

10. APPARENTLY S NOT FOREWARNED F HASTY DEPARTURE.

11. S. VOLUNTEERED F WOULD "QUIT" ONLY UNDER TERRIFIC ATTACK AND

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PRESSURE FROM HOME OR IF SOVIET AMBASSADOR LOND TWISTED ARM (RODIGAST DID NOT SPECIFY REASON FOR DEBRIEFING.) LCPIPIT WILL TRY CLARIFY.

12. POUCHING FULL REPORT.

13. NO INDEX.

* HQS HIGHLY INTERESTED STEBONY-1 CUBAN CONTACTS

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CFN: 4675 41989 15 SEPT STEBONY/1 S RODIGAST PABLO FERNANDEZ F PER LEE BAXENDALL I SEPT S 5 SEPT LONDON OBSERVER BAXENDALL EDITS VIET U S VIETNAM SEPT S F C/O FORNMIN HAVANA F S RE HAVANA ROBERT WILLIAMS

S F 1960 F WIFE'S NEW YORK CITY F LAS AMERICAS S F NYC HAVANA S F S PRO-CHINESE NOT BECAUSE S KUBARK AGENT S F NON-MARXIST NOT EMOTIONALLY ANTI-AMERICAN NOT IDEOLOGICALLY NEITHER COMMUNIST NOR ANTI-COMMUNIST F FRANK S CUBA HOMOSEXUALITY S F F'S NOT PHYSICALLY S F NOT APPEAR F'S CUBAN F'S HAVANA F 31 AUG F'S NOT CARE S F WESTERN EUROPE FRANQUI S F NOTHING IN CUBA A MANCHANDA PEKING-LEANING WEST INDIAN GAZETTE PEKING S F PRO-MOSCOW SINO-SOVIET S NOTHING OF MANCHANDA S NOT FOREWARNED F S F SOVIET RODIGAST NOT SPECIFY LCPIPIT NO INDEX

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MEMORANDUM OF ORAL COMMITMENTS

1 September 1965

TO: Director, DTEARN

VIA: Contract Approving Officer

FROM: Chief of Station, Paris/LCPIPIT

SUBJECT: Engagement of STEBONY/1, as Independent Contractor

1. Term and Project Charge. The subject individual has been engaged under oral contract as a developmental agent for an as yet unwritten Project involving KUWOLF and KUDESK and coordinated through QRPREY. Subject's salary and expenses are to be charged against the BOLINABLE Field Allotment per DIR 36066. The effective date of the oral contract is 1 September 1965, and it shall continue thereafter on a month-to-month basis subject to termination by, and at the convenience of, ODYOKE without prior notice.

2. Security Approval. Per CSI 10-5, STEBONY/1 does not require a POA (cf: DIR 15660), and OA not being requested pending establishment definite STEBONY Project (cf: DIR 36066). LCPIPIT advised 2 June 1965 STEBONY/1 granted clearance for LCFLUTTER (cf: DIR 15660).

3. Citizenship. The subject is not a foreign national.

4. Compensation. The subject will be paid $600.00 per month. The subject will be advised that he must file a covert income tax return through KUBARK.

5. Operational Expenses.

(A) The subject will be reimbursed for operational travel, except as noted in para. 8 below.

(B) The subject will be reimbursed for operational expenses, except as noted in para. 8 below.

6. Other Commitments. The following additional commitments have been made to the subject: "Since security conditions generally preclude the detailed accounting of miscellaneous travel expenses, per diem will be paid at the rate of $20.00 during periods of authorized travel." Per Personal Ruling of Chief of Station, Paris/LCPIPIT dated 12 July 1965: "If subject is absent from his home station on authorised travel for part of one day

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and returns to his home station the night of that same day (i.e., if no hotel expense is involved in the sense of overnight accommodations), then he shall be entitled to draw 1/2 of his authorized per diem of $20.00 (i.e., $10.00)." Per diem under the above terms will be paid except as noted in para. 8 below.

7. Contingent Obligations. No additional commitments have been made to the subject under this oral contract. However, in the original Letter of Agreement signed by subject 3 June 1965 and which expired on 31 August 1965, paragraph 4 stipulated: "ODYOKE will compensate you in an amount mutually agreed upon for the relocation of you and your family to a new residence if such a relocation is considered desirable by you and ODYOKE." Under the circumstances ODYOKE may have to supplement such funds as subject may receive for relocation from a target organization, institution, or government in order to defray such relocation expenses as subject may personally incur.

8. No commitments other than those stated above have been made to the subject. Moreover, in cases where travel and/or operational expenses and/or per diem are provided or furnished in money or in kind from other than ODYOKE sources, ODYOKE will offset such funds, goods, or services against the obligations assumed in the above oral commitments.

9. The substance of paras. 1, 4, 5, 6, and 8 (except as noted in the second sentence of para. 4) have been communicated to, and accepted by, the subject.

SIGNED ______________________
Richard D. SOHHEIN
Chief of Station, Paris/LCPIPIT

REVIEWED: ______________________
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TO Chief of Station, Paris/LCPIPIT

INFO Chief, of Station, Paris

FROM Chief, KUWOLF

SUBJECT DTDORIC/OPERATIONAL
STEBONY/STEBONY/1 Reporting

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES
OFLA-2658

1. OFL-12 and OFL-13 were passed to the appropriate Headquarters desk for the evaluation requested in reference.

2. The results of the evaluations were that the reports based on STEBONY/1's elicitation contained "nothing more than chit-chat and opinion" with no new information that could be disseminated. As indicated in the last sentence of reference this result was not unanticipated by LCPIPIT.

3. In view of STEBONY/1's reportorial capabilities however, we hope that his continued efforts to elicit and report timely information will be vigorously maintained.

Raymond N. Endlein
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Chief, KU-OLF

DYDORIC/QEPRSY/KUDESK/SPZHONY/1 - Transmittal of Background Materials

REF: OFLA-2613, 9 July 1965

1. Forwarded herewith is the following material compiled in response to your request in reference dispatch.

a. Copy of the final draft paper on the pro-Chinese dissident element in Belgium (SECRET NOFORN).

b. Copy of the "Applications for Membership" presented to the IV AAPSO Conference (UNCLASSIFIED - Possession by KUBARK is CONFIDENTIAL).

c. "The Afro-Asian Solidarity Movement - A Status Report" (SECRET).

d. "Notes on Africa - #7 - The Fourth Afro-Asian Solidarity Conference" (CONFIDENTIAL).

e. CS-3/559,256, 8 January 1964, AAPSO Mailing list (SECRET NOFORN).

f. Comments on Afro-Asian Journalists Association (SECRET and UNCLASSIFIED).

g. <u>The Afro-Asian Journalist</u>, No. 1, Vol. 2, January-February 1965.

h. Bibliography - AAPSO and Afro-Asian Liberation Movements (OUO).

Book Dispatch No. 4761, 21 January 1965, and its attachment, "Pro-Chinese Elements in the International Communist Movement," which LCPIPIT already has, would also be useful for this purpose.

2. It is likely that we shall be able to work up a more comprehensive bibliography than the one included above (h), and will forward the books as they become available.

Attachments: H/W
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TO
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INFO.
Chief, WE; Chief, KUDESK; Chief, KUWOLF

FROM
Chief of Station, London

SUBJECT KUDESK QRPREY STEBONY JAGUAR
Info Requested from STEBONY/1

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

1. JAGUAR, in acknowledging receipt of the processed STEBONY/1 material that we forwarded to them, have also asked for "further information about Francois MASPERO and Professor Nguyen KIEN. We should be most grateful for any further identifying particulars for both MASPERO and KIEN and with regard to the latter, we should particularly like to know his present position in connection with 'Africa, Asia, Latin America Revolution' and whether he still holds a teaching appointment in France."

2. JAGUAR's note was shown to RODIGAST in London on 12 August, just before RODIGAST met with STEBONY/1. LCPIPIT please provide anything that can be had for passage to JAGUAR.

3. As should be fairly apparent, I think, from reading the material we passed to JAGUAR, plus the fact that there has been no "Revolution" for lo! these many months, the status of anyone connected with the magazine is about as uncertain as the status of the magazine itself. Nonetheless, we will be happy to let JAGUAR know as much as we can.

George H. KATZENBACH

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~~Chief, WE; KUWOLF; KUDESK; WH~~

FROM
~~Chief of Station, London~~

SUBJECT
KUDESK QRPREY STEBONY SMOTH
~~BAIRN Report on STEBONY/1~~

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

1. BAIRN, a sensitive SMOTH operation, provides the following report relating to STEBONY/1 (date of info, 26 July 1965):

"STEBONY/1 (previously in touch with Pablo FERNANDEZ while in London, en route with family to Algiers for the international conference postponed when Ben BELLA was overthrown) calls Pablo FERNANDEZ, tells him he (S/1) is just back from North Africa if the confernece is held in November. Says he has been unable to get any news of (Marc) SCHLEIFFER, and asks whether Pablo has heard of him. Pablo says he had a letter, brought by hand from SCHLEIFFER in Algeria, saying he (SCHLEIFFER) was going the next week to Cairo, and would write to Pablo from there. He has not yet written. S/1 says they had hunted for him high andlow in Algiers - he disappeared completely from the conference scene, and they thought that perhaps he had got mixed up in the (troubles between the new regime and Ben BELLA's faction), Pablo assures S/1 that SCHLEIFFER is all right. He knows this from a negro journalist, on "the Guardian" in the U.S.A. and coming from Pennsylvania, who covered the Algiers conference preparations. The journalist's name is, Larry HENRY or something similar. Pablo and S/1 agree to meet to-morrow (27th July), S/1 will call Pablo then to fix time and place. At 10.35 S/1 calls FERNANDEZ, arranges to call for him at the Embassy at 13.30 hours for them to lunch together."

2. This is for background information only.

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INFO	Chief of Station, Rome
FROM	Chief, KUWOLF
SUBJECT	DTDORIC/QRPREY/STEBONY/Grace Elizabeth Anne Russo

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ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

ACTION: FYI

REFERENCES: A. OFLA-2538

B. DIR-27779

ODENVY traces on Subject have turned up general background data containing no derogatory information.

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29 Jul 65 IN 21357

DIR INFO PALP CITE LOND 8835

KUDESK GRFREY STEBONY

REF: PALP 4385 (IN 20682)

1. LOND HAS LONG SUSPECTED LIONEL MORRISON A JAGUAR SOURCE. WHILE WISH PASS REF INFO, WOULD LIKE WAIT WEEK OR SO TO SEE IF WE GET SAME FROM THEM.

2. REQUEST PERMISSION PASS CAREFULLY SANITIZED VERSION REF INFO TO JAGUAR ABOUT AUG 10, UNLESS THEY PROVIDE SAME INFO IN MEANTIME.

3. FIRST SUBJ PARA 2 D REF IS AUSTRALIAN COMMIE WILFRED BURCHETT.

SECRET

CFN 8835 4385 LIONEL MORRISON A JAGUAR REF REF AUG 10 2 D AUSTRALIAN COMMIE WILFRED BURCHETT

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PALP INFO DIR CITE LOND 8762

KUDESK QRPREY STEBONY

REF: LOND 8728 (IN 46730)

LATER JAGUAR NOTE STATES STEBONY/1, WHO NOW HAS U.K. VISITOR'S PERMIT FOR THREE MONTHS, STATED HIS INTENTION TO GO TO PARIS TO GATHER MATERIAL ABOUT FRENCH GOVT'S FOREIGN POLICY.

S E C R E T

CFN 8762 8728 JAGUAR STEBONY/1 U K PARIS FRENCH GOVT'S

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CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20505

16 JUL 1965

TO: Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Attention: Mr. S. J. Papich

FROM: Deputy Director for Plans

SUBJECT: Grace Elizabeth RUSSO

CIA Paris has requested that material on Grace Elizabeth RUSSO be made available. Subject was born 23 September 1925 in Boston, Massachusetts. She is presently employed by FAO, Rome, and resides at Via Annia Faustina 56, Rome. CIA Washington traces reveal no pertinent information on Miss Russo. It is therefore requested that a check be made of the Bureau's records.

In response to your request there are attached 5 reports which appear to relate to the subject of your inquiry.

see additional reports on subj: DBB-15788
DBB-15591
DBB-15592

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28 July 1965

This reply is result of check of FBI investigative files. To check arrest records [illegible]

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Title: GRACE ELIZABETH ANNE RUSSO
LOYALTY OF EMPLOYEES OF THE
UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER PUBLIC
INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Report of: Special Agent JOSEPH HOLIDAY

Date and Place: Albany, New York, July 16, 1957.

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GRACE ELIZABETH ANNE RUSSO
LOYALTY OF EMPLOYEES OF THE
UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER PUBLIC
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Albany, New York
July 16, 1957

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

Professor JOHN K. GALBRAITH, Economics Department, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts, presently vacationing at his summer residence, Newfane, Vermont, advised on July 12, 1957, that applicant has been his secretary and general assistant at Harvard University for the past four years. Professor GALBRAITH said he highly recommends the applicant as to character, reputation and loyalty. He further stated the applicant is a first-rate person, very superior, intelligent, and well qualified for the position she seeks. Professor GALBRAITH stated he is aware of the position the applicant seeks in view of the fact that he recommended her for this position.

Professor GALBRAITH was investigated in 1950 as "JOHN KENNETH GALBRAITH, also known as J. KENNETH GALBRAITH, KENNETH GALBRAITH, Consultant-Appointee, Commodities Division, Office of the Director, Office of Industry and Commerce, United States Department of Commerce, Washington, D.C., - LOYALTY OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES" under the provisions of Executive Order 9835. On March 2, 1951, the Civil Service Commission advised that JOHN KENNETH GALBRAITH resigned or otherwise separated from Federal service, prior to decision on loyalty.

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TO	Chief of Station, Paris/LCPIPIT	X NO INDEXING REQUIRED
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FROM	Chief, KUWOLF	MICROFILM
SUBJECT	DTDORIC/QKPREY/STEBONY	

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

REF. OFLA-2541, 22 June 1965

1. Subject to Brussels Station views, Headquarters believes that STEBONY's proposal in Reference is a good one and very consistent with our interests that he develop his access and acceptability within the circles of which Ref Iden A is a significant figure. We realize that the picture is a complicated one, and that Iden A of Ref may or may not yet prove to have the staying power of the successful political figure. At the same time, it does seem that he is the most outstanding leader of the anti-revisionists today, and as such merits our attention.

2. With regard to Reference para 4's concern about possible damage to our national interest by publication of the book in English, we tend to side with STEBONY in feeling that the support which such a publication might render to our enemies could not really be detected by the naked eye. Similarly, while agreeing with the sentiment that would critically scrutinize all proposals by new assets, we note that STEBONY is, indeed, supposed to be seeking to regain status among his former associates, and that Ref proposal does not, to our view, contain any hint which would suggest that in following out this line of action at our direction, he is motivated by any ulterior or concealed aim different from that which led us to impose the commission in the first place.

3. We are attempting to get a rough translation done on a priority basis. STEBONY, of course, should understand that such a translation will be unfinished, and should be carefully reviewed for the proper "feel," to rule out usage or interpretation which STEBONY, with his background, would never have inferred from the French text. Nonetheless, as the document has come to hand only on 2 July, and given the holiday weekend, the limitation on the number of translators available, the existence of other translation assignments, and, finally, the pouch transit time back to Rome, we regret that it will not be possible to get this product to RODICAST for his 15 July meeting.

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Chief of Station, Algiers

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FROM
Chief of Station, London

DATE
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SUBJECT
KUDESK QRPREY STEBONY
Old Letter from STEBONY/1

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ACTION REQUIRED

REFERENCE(S)

1. Cleaning out some old papers, I ran across a letter from STEBONY/1 (copies attached). The letter was seen by TIFFANY, RODIGAST, et al., during the busy week they all spent in London, and is sent along now to bring the record more or less up to date.

2. A batch of other materials, which arrived through our postal arrangement, were turned over to TIFFANY, and they are presumably now a part of Headquarters' records.

George H. KATZENBACH

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Herewith

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TO: Chief, KUDESK
FROM: Chief of Station, London
Attachment to OELA-43,589
13 July 1965

Dear Katzenbach,

I'm pleased you have received at least one of my letters, but I still wonder if you got a large envelope containing three letters which had been held and returned all at once. As one of the letters was rather detailed and dealt with matters of some importance, I'm rather disconcerted -- to say the least -- ~~that~~ to think that it may not have found its way to you. The envelope measured 8 by 5 inches and was light tan in color. A confirmation of its receipt would be appreciated.

Of course, I understood about the service, the newsletter, not being a definite thing. In any case, I am not looking for a sinecure, but for a good, deep cover and that seemed to be one. It also gave me something to offer contacts ~~xxxxx~~ and would have strengthened my position considerably. At present, my cover is as light as the Emperor's new clothes.

Still no positive reply from any publication in the States, and the general silence from my American "friends" is not very encouraging. Here, the situation is much better, and if I can get to Algiers in good time, after visiting Grippa and Andersson and seeing some contacts in Paris, my position will be better, but I still see myself representing the West Indian Gazette or Cinnamon and/or the Institute of Race Relations. Mrs. Sheila Patterson, their editor, even suggested that I do a short paperback book for them, gathering together the conference documents with an analysis. All of this is better than nothing, but it definitely isn't much.

On the other hand, for the future, Noureddine Medjdoub, who has been Tunisian cultural attaché here, is returning to Tunis to take over the editorship of the Socialist Destour Party paper, L'Action. He has suggested that I write some features for him, after the Afro-Asian Conference in Algiers and that I try to get to Tunis to discuss future projects with him while I am in North Africa. You well know what many Africans and Arabs think of Tunisia at present, so there may not be much that we can do with this arrangement.

This afternoon, I saw Dennis Phombeah at the Tanganian High Commission. Until three months ago, he was at the U.N. He claims that Vergès came to London last December and saw Babu about me and other matters, but that Babu was not convinced. He says he did not know that I was in London until recently -- this was our first meeting since the spring of 1964. Now, he proposes that he try to get the editorship of The Nationalist, the TANU paper in Dar es Salaam, for me. We will discuss the matter again at lunch next Monday. It would be a fixed post in Dar and I can't yet ~~xxx~~ fathom why he is willing to suggest me for the job. He claims he has not been in touch with Vergès.

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TO: Chief, KUDESK

INFO: Chief, KUWOLF; Chief, WE

FROM: Chief of Station, Paris/LCPIPIT

SUBJECT: DYDORIC/Operational ~~ORPHEY/STEBONY/Request for Background Materials~~

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

Action requested: Paragraph 3.

1. Career Agent Rufus F. RODIGAST has been briefed by Paris/LCPIPIT on an ad hoc basis to date regarding information on the Afro-Asian national liberation movement of operational interest to his handling and guidance of STEBONY/1. As the STEBONY operation progresses, however, it is LCPIPIT's intention that those handling STEBONY/1 become more knowledgeable on the subject of the national liberation movement than STEBONY/1, himself, as a means to ensure the best possible operational guidance to the agent and to provide another element of agent control--superior knowledge.

2. LCPIPIT's limited files include two basic documents: Attachment to OFLW 630, and Book Dispatch No. 4463. We also have selected disseminations and reports on Chinese Communist activities in Africa. What would be most useful, however, would be a collection of reports and analyses, whether overt or covert, discussing the following topics: a) Jacques GRIPPA and the pro-Chinese European Communist factions; b) the Afro-Asian Journalists Association (the Headquarters TPRANSACK c/o has had a file on this organization's founding); c) the individual national liberation movements and their leaders; d) operations of the national liberation movements, individually and collectively, out of such centers as Algiers (at least up to 19 June 1965), Dar es Salaam, Accra, Cairo, Djakarta, Havana, etc/.; e) national liberation movement relations with, and operations out of, the Bloc, both Moscow and Peking oriented; f) support and guidance of the national liberation movement by non-Bloc communist parties and selected fronts.

3. We recognize that much of the information on the above mentioned topics may not yet be collated, if indeed it is available; however, we should appreciate receiving from Headquarters such materials as you feel would best meet LCPIPIT's operational needs in working with STEBONY/1. Of special value would be a bibliography of overt writing on the subject, greatly alleviating the security problem and mere logistics of bringing RODIGAST and a large volume of classified reading together, in a secure environment, over an extended period.

Harvey G. Fahnrich
Harvey G. FAHNRICH

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FROM Chief of Station, London		MICROFILM

SUBJECT STEBONY JAGUAR
Report on STEBONY/1

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

1. Transmitted under separate cover is a JAGUAR report on STEBONY/1. While JAGUAR did not state what the DOI was, JAGUAR's letter was dated 15 June 1965.

2. ARNOUD, in JAGUAR's para 2 ii, should be ARNAUD.

3. The comments contained in the report are either consistent with what STEBONY/1 has told us or consistent with what STEBONY/1 is supposed to have been telling other people - sometimes both.

George H. KATZENBACH

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TO: Chief, KUDESK
FROM: Chief of Station, London
Separate Cover Attachment to
OELA-43,522, 2 July 1965

Richard Thomas GIBSON

2. The following further information has been received from a secret and reliable source:

i) GIBSON was to leave London on the 8th June en route to Algiers via Brussels, Lausanne and Paris, and he expects to arrive in Algiers about the 20th June.

ii) GIBSON has said that he will be in Algiers in his capacity as a journalist and that while there he may be contacted through Georges ARNOUD at the Directorate of Information or through an American, Marc SCHLEIFER, who is the representative in Algiers of the 2nd of May Movement. He has also said that he is anxious to meet some responsible members of the Afro-Asian Journalists' Association Secretariat in order to clear his name of the charges brought against him by VERGES.

iii) As a journalist GIBSON is hoping to be allowed to attend the Second Afro-Asian Journalists' Association Conference and he has made enquiries as to when it will be held.

iv) In commenting on an invitation which has been extended to Hodee EDWARDS to visit North Korea, possibly via Indonesia, GIBSON has said that he would very much like to visit Indonesia but that there is little chance of his doing so as the West Indian newspapers by which he might be employed would be unlikely to pay the cost of his fare.

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DTDORIC QREBONY

REFS: A. OEPA 90
B. OELA 43237
C. LCPIPIT 0619 (IN 38606)

1. CONCUR $ 100 PER MONTH PAY RAISE FOR QREBONY/1 RECOMMENDED REF A. WOULD PREFER EFFECTIVE DATE 1 JULY 67. ↑ TAX SUPPLEMENT WILL BE $70.

2. TO SATISFY ADMIN REQUIREMENTS, PLS PROVIDE AMENDMENT TO LETTER OF UNDERSTANDING REF B, REFLECTING THIS AND OTHER INTERMEDIATE RAISES GRANTED QREBONY/1 SINCE DATE REF B.

3. WOULD ALSO PREFER ABOVE RAISE BE GIVEN QREBONY/1 IN THE HAND RATHER THAN THRU ~~QRPUR~~ QRPURE, RESERVING LATTER CHANNEL FOR SPECIAL EXPENDITURES (SUCH AS TRAVEL COSTS) WHICH INVOLVE RELATIVELY LARGER SUMS OF MONEY AND FOR WHICH IT MIGHT BE MORE USEFUL USE QRPURE COVER FOR ATTRIBUTION. PLS ADVISE.

4. BELIEVE THIS WOULD BE APPROPRIATE TIME SATISFY QREBONY/1 CLEARANCE REQUIREMENT FOR PERIODIC SGSWIRL. IN ADDITION ~~XX~~ OBVIOUS QUESTIONS, REQUEST HE BE SPECIFICALLY QUERIED ~~XXX~~

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RE (A) KNOWLEDGEABILITY HIS WIFE AND AMSQUAW/1 REGARDING HIS WOFACT AND OR LNFORT CONNECTIONS AND (B) HIS ESTIMATE THEIR RESPECTIVE ACCEPTANCES HIS PRO-CHICOM COVER AURA.

5. DISPATCH, ORIGINALLY PREPARED TO INCORPORATE ABOVE CONCURRENCE, FOLLOWS WITH ADDITIONAL COMMENTS.

END OF MESSAGE

CA/B & F L.H. Shoemaker

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Contract Personnel Division

SUBJECT: QREBONY/1 - MOC Amendment

REFERENCE: OFLW - 1699, 1 November 1966

1. Effective 1 September 1966, the MOC of QREBONY/1 was amended to provide compensation of $746.00 per month.

2. Please see attached reference for the salary breakdown.

3. We regret that due to an administrative oversight, this memorandum was not submitted at an earlier date.

Signed Thomas Mc Kinley

Thomas Mc Kinley
Chief, CA Support Group

APPROVED:

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Attachment:
OFLW - 1699

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DYDORIC QREBONY QKOPERA

RE LCPIPIT 0519 (IN 24171)

RE PARA TWO REF, PLS ADVISE DETAILS OF CIRCUMSTANCES UNDER WHICH WINTERROWD AND SABA WERE MADE WITTING WOFACT'S CONTINUING INTEREST IN QREBONY/1.

END OF MESSAGE

C/CA/B3 - Mr. Fallow (telecord)

EUR/BC/UK - Mr. Webster (telecord)

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FROM: Chief, LCPIPIT

SUBJECT: DTDORIC/Operational
CRPREY/QREBONY/Institution Base

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

References: A. LCPIPIT-8161
B. DIRECTOR-66211, paragraph 3

At their 15 March meeting, QREBONY/1 and RODIGAST discussed QREBONY/1's running his own pro-Chicom group, at least as a paper organization to allow him to get close to target conferences and institutions as a bona fide delegate rather than bystander. QREBONY/1 feels that if not done right this could cause trouble, because of usual organizational rivalries. He is thinking of beginning by writing and circulating a statement in support of the statement on "Afro-American Liberation" which appeared in the 6 December Ad Hoc Bulletin (Marxist-Leninist) in Chicago. He would use a pseudonym to sign his statement, but would let all his friends know that the pseudonym was really himself, and he might use Manchanda's address. Perhaps Grippa would agree to circulate or print it. If this statement goes over, QREBONY/1 could escalate into a small organization. He will show RODIGAST a draft of his statement, but also will discuss it with Manchanda for "ideological purity".

P. F. CILIBERTI

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FROM: Chief, LCPIPIT

SUBJECT: DTDORIC/Operational
QREBONY/Salary Raise for QREBONY/1

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

1. At the time of his recruitment in June 1965, QREBONY/1 was told that his $600 monthly tax-free salary would be raised to $800 once he got a job in a target organization, which of course was the goal of his planned summer activity in Algiers.

2. Through no fault of his own, the Algiers assignment (and other possibilities, such as Djakarta) evaporated shortly thereafter. Meanwhile, WOFACT changed its signals and eventually decided to base QREBONY/1 in Europe targeted against individuals and groups in various countries.

3. From the beginning, QREBONY/1 has proved more than satisfactory as an agent. He has carried out assignments given to him with knowledge and tact and the proper spirit, has used his own initiative as much as our guidance, and has not violated our instructions. No one will argue that he hasn't proved to be better than we collectively thought he would be, and in terms of his own abilities—apart from targets which may or may not be accessible to him—he is getting better all the time.

4. Last year, about a year later than QREBONY/1 might have expected his salary to go up from $600 to $800, we raised it to $700. He was pleased, and he has not complained as much as he used to about a shortage of funds. (Presumably QREBONY/1 is responsive to the generally good treatment he has had, to the respect for him as an individual and the appreciation of his services; probably he is carried along as much by his own personal satisfaction in knowing he is meeting requirements and continually breaking new ground.)

5. Nevertheless, LCPIPIT believes the time has come to raise QREBONY/1's salary to the promised level. We can all agree that we are still getting his services cheap; QREBONY/1 receives no quarters, living allowance, or educational allowance for his children. His increased gratitude, the relief he will undoubtedly feel at being able to reduce his present financial worries, are more than worth the extra $100.

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6. If Headquarters agrees, the money can be paid through QRPURE (whose monthly check will go up from $100 to $200 in this event). QRPURE could write to QREBONY/1 expressing his pleasure at the results of syndication of QREBONY/1's material, and announcing that the monthly fee will go up to $200; alternatively, QREBONY/1 could write to QRPURE saying he feels the sum should go up, and QRPURE would reply affirmatively.

P. F. CILIBERTI

Monsieur et Madame GIBSON
30, Stockleigh Hall
Prince Albert Road
LONDON N.W.8 -(Grande Bretagne).

AFF. GIBSON C/VERGES -

Chers Madame et Monsieur,

Je m'empresse de vous faire savoir que j'ai fait citer la Société des NOUVELLES EDITIONS INTERNATIONALES pour l'audience du 13 avril prochain.

Or, je viens d'appendre que celle-ci est mise en faillite et que Monsieur PINTA, Syndic de faillite, a été nommé par jugement du Tribunal de Commerce.

Je ne vois pas, dans ces conditions, l'intérêt que vous avez à poursuivre le paiement de sommes qui vous sont dues par cette Société dont le passif dépasse de loin tout actif.

Voudriez-vous, je vous prie, me donner vos instructions définitives compte tenu de cette situation.

Je vous indique d'ailleurs que vous pouvez produire à la faillite entre les mains du syndic, mais que bien entendu celui-ci vous demandera un jugement pour pouvoir inscrire votre créance toute théorique contre la Société qui, comme je vous l'indique plus haut n'a que des dettes et aucun actif.

J'attends donc de vos nouvelles et vous prie de croire, chers Madame et Monsieur, à l'expression de mes sentiments dévoués.

S. SCHWARTZENBERG,
Avocat à la Cour.

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Joy Gibson, fwded in
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q · At a meeting held on August 14, 1966, STANFORD mentioned that Rbbert Williams allegedly has $1,000,000 available for the use of RAM.

NY T-10 advised on September 26, 1966, that STANFORD prior to moving to Philadelphia on September 18, 1966, discussed RAM and ROBERT F. WILLIAMS with him. According to the source, STANFORD has alleged WILLIAMS has money available for RAM.

During the course of the conversation, STANFORD stated that the contact man between RAM in the US and R. Williams' is one Richard GIBSON in Paris, France. STANFORD stated that GIBSON passes on messages from WILLIAMS and will be the man contacted by whoever is designated as a courier to go to China to get the money.

Source also stated that he was told Richard GIBSON was living in the Crystal Hotel (phonetic), Paris, France, and was working out of the La Royale Cafe (phonetic), Paris, France.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No. (IS) 105-93072

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

BY LIAISON

Date: October 24, 1966

To: Director
Central Intelligence Agency

Attention: Deputy Director, Plans

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject: RICHARD GIBSON
INFORMATION CONCERNING

A source of this Bureau who has furnished reliable information in the past recently advised that during the Fall of 1966, a member of an Italian pro-Chinese Marxist-Leninist organization stated that one Richard Gibson was suspected of being a spy for the Central Intelligence Agency. According to this individual, Gibson recently had been in Milan, Italy, in the company of a female secretary from Paris, whose home is in New Rochelle, New York. At that time Gibson remarked his travel and activities were possible because he had married a wealthy English woman. Other things were said which aroused the suspicions of the Italian.

According to our source, the Italian pro-Chinese Marxist-Leninist subsequently relayed his suspicions concerning Gibson to Rene Raindorf, a member of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Belgium (Marxist-Leninist). Raindorf reportedly thereafter met in Brussels, Belgium, with Gibson although he had indicated the Belgian pro-Chinese communists would look into the charges of the Italian Marxist-Leninist.

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TO LCPIPIT INFO LONDON

REF: LCPIPIT 7388 (IN 83410)

DTDORIC QREBONY

1. RE REF PARA 7: GHANA DESK REP MET QREBONY FOR ASSESSMENT WITH VIEW TOWARD HIS POSSIBLE LATER USE AGAINST GHANA TARGET. DISCUSSION HODEE EDWARDS WAS GENERAL PROBING OF QREBONY RELATIONSHIP AND ESTIMATE ~~XXX~~ HER PERSONALITY. WHILE QREBONY MAY HAVE INFERRED POSSIBILITY RELATED OPERATION CAL ~~XXXXXXX~~ COMMISSION, WOFACT REP AVOIDED SUGGESTING SUCH WAS PLANNED MUCH LESS IMMINENT. IN FACT, DESK HAS NOT DEVELOPED SUCH DETAILED HQS PLANS FOR QREBONY OPERATION GHANA, GIVEN UNCERTAINTIES IN DEVELOPING SITUATION ON GROUND. WHEN AND IF CLEAR FOCUS SUCH OPERATION WORKED OUT AND AGREED WITH ACCRA STATION, WEST ~~XX~~ AFRICAN TRIP WOULD PRESUMABLY BE FIRST STEP.

2. WHILE SUCH TRIP MENTIONED TO QREBONY AS PROBABLY USEFUL, EMPHASIZED TO QREBONY THAT VIETNAM IS TOP PRIORITY AT THIS TIME. STRONGLY FEEL HE SHOULD SIT TIGHT AND PLAY OUT THIS STRING WITHOUT PLANNING FOR EXTENSIVE AFRICA SWINGS, PARTICULARLY AFTER HAVING JUST RETURNED FROM ~~XXX~~ WOLADY TDY. WITH VIET TRIP AND RUSSELL FOUNDATION MORE IMMEDIATE HIGHER PRIORITY TARGETS CLOSE TO HOME AT THIS TIME, SEE LITTLE VALUE AND UNNECESSARY RISKS IN OVEREXTENDING HIM IN WIDE AFRICA SWINGS OF LESS IMMEDIATE INTEREST. THIS EVEN MORE TRUE FOR EAST AFRICA GIVEN STATION VIEWS

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PER AJDA 1989 ON NEED FOR LONGER STAY, WITH ACCOMPANYING COVER AND CONTACT PROBLEMS, AND INDICATIONS OF PHOMBEAH HOSTILITY, NATURE AND EXTENT OF WHICH WE CANNOT IMMEDIATELY ASSESS. HQS VERY SATISFIED WITH QREBONY PERFORMANCE AND DEVELOPMENT SO FAR. WHILE UNDERSTAND HIS TEMPERMENTAL INCLINATION TO PRESS FOR ACTION ~~ER~~ ASSIGNMENTS INVOLVING TRAVEL, HE SHOULD BE ASSURED, IF NECESSARY, THAT SUCH DEMONSTRATION OF (BEING CONSTANTLY USEFUL) ~~USE~~ NOT NEEDED AND ~~I~~ NOT ALWAYS IN BEST INTERESTS PROJECT DEVELOPMENT.

3. REF PARA 8: WILL BE POUCHING LONGER REPORTS ON QREBONY VISIT HERE WHICH DELAYED BECAUSE OF PRESSURE OTHER WORK. KA[illegible]MAYER RETURNED TO QREBONY ORIGINALS FINEMAN AND OTHER CORRESPONDENCE HE LEFT, BUT SENDING COPIES WE ~~HAD~~ MADE OF THESE AND REPORTS HE SUBMITTED ON WOLADY CONTACTS BY TRANSMITTAL MANIFEST 722028.

4. RE PARA 9 REF: YES. WE WOULD STRONGLY PREFER THAT RAISE BE MADE AVAILABLE TO QREBONY BY TRANSFER FROM COVER FIRM, WHICH WE WILL EXPECT ARRANGE SOON (AWAITING CLEARANCE ON ONE ~~I~~ INDIVIDUAL WHO WOULD HAVE TO BE CUT IN). CAN YOU MAKE DIRECT TRANSFER UNTIL THIS IS ~~I~~ SET UP.

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CHIEF, CA/CF

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DIRECTOR INFO BRUSSELS, THE HAGUE

DTDORIC QREBONY

1. RODIGAST (R) QREBONY/1 (Q) AS SCHEDULED 23 AUGUST. BALANCE WOLADY REPORTING BEING POUCHED AS WELL AS NEW RPORTS. Q PLANNING TRAVEL PARI BRUS-ROTTERDAM POSSIBLY FRANKFURT, VIENNA 2-12 SEPT. ROD WILL MEET Q ANTWERP 8 SEPT.

2. ROBERT WILLIAMS IN LETTER TO Q 25 JULY FROM PEKING SAID HOPES BE EUROPE LATER IN YEAR PROBABLY GOING SWEDEN TO MAKE SPEECH. ALSO ADVISED HE MAY TRY PUBLISH CRUSADE FROM PEKING AND ASKS Q'S HELP WITH DISTRIBUTION. ATTACKED HYPOCRITICAL RACIST CUBANS. (THIS INFO BEING DISSEMINATED).

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3. Q THINKS ENTRY NORTH VIETNAM MAY BE DIFFICULT AT PRESENT BECAUSE OF MILITARY SITUATION AND PROBABLE NORTH VIETNAMESE DESIRE NOT TO ENTERTAIN ELEMENTS OPENLY HOSTILE SOVIET UNION. LIONEL MORRISON SAYS WILLIAMS CAN'T GO HANOI AT PRESENT. RICHARD WARD TOLD FINEMAN ENTRY WOULD BE DIFFICULT. GRAY IN SAN FRANCISCO SAID HIS TOUR POSTPONED INDEFINITELY BECAUSE OF MILITARY SITUATION.

4. AT KATZENBACH SUGGESTION Q MADE PRECISE APPOINTMENT NORTH VIETNAMESE JOURNALISTS SAW AND DINH, LONDON 26 AUGUST WHICH KATZENBACH INFORMING JAGUAR TO ALLOW SURVEILLANCE.

5. RE DIR 26709, Q HOPES OBTAIN FURTHER INFO MOCK TRIAL FROM RALPH ROSENBAUM, US LEFTISTS CONNECTED RUSSELL FOUNDATION BUT WHO OPPOSED TO TROTSKYISTS. Q'S STRATEGY IS EXPOSURE FOUNDATION AS RIFE WITH CONFLICTS AND INFILTRATED BY TROTSKYISTS.

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6. POUCHING FULLER REPORT Q CONVERSATIONS SUTHERLAND NEW YORK WHICH Q TOLD KAMMERMAYER BY PHONE. SUTHERLAND INSISTED CARMICHAEL HAS NOT ACCEPTED RUSSELL INVITATION.

7. IF NOT SENT, PLEASE CABLE DETAILS HQS PLANS FOR Q OPERATION GHANA INVOLVING HODEE EDWARDS DISCUSSED WITH Q AT HQS. WOULD THIS BE IN FRAMEWORK Q VISIT WEST AFRICA AND APPROXIMATELY WHEN? WHERE DOES THIS PLACE EAST AFRICA TRIP, NOT MENTIONED TO Q BY HQS?

8. ASSUME HQS POUCHING ALL Q WOLADY REPORTING AS WELL CORRESPONDENCE. FOR EXAMPLE Q HAS NO COPY LETTERS FROM FINEMAN ON PARIS SITUATION WHICH SUBMITTED KAMMERMAYER.

9. CAN RAISE OF $100 IN Q TAKE-HOME AFTER TAXES BE MADE EFFECTIVE 1 SEPTEMBER? PLS CABLE WHEN BEGINNING DEPOSITS SO CAN NOTIFY Q.

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Cable sent answering 9 in affirmative.

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8 July 1966

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, CI/OA

SUBJECT: Field Traces on QRKBONY/1 201-306052

This is to inform you that there were no additional traces on QRKBONY/1 from the Field Stations--Algiers, Rome, Paris, or London. Negative traces from Frankfurt Station.

Ann Jane Long
CA/CF

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TO Chief of Station, Paris/LCPIPIT

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FROM Chief, KUWOLF

SUBJECT POA for QREBONY/1

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

None, information only

Attached herewith is the text of the Provisional Operational Approval on QREBONY/1. An Operational Approval is awaited pending receipt of final Agency traces which, we understand have not yet come in. Your attention is directed to paragraph 3 and to paragraph 5. The latter will be the subject of further correspondence in the future.

NOWELL D. KAMMERMAYER

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8. Not applicable. The Agent is not in the status of a tour of assignment but will be exploited in his current operational role as long as it is viable.

9. This request is not for interim cover.

10. No relative is witting for such emergency contact, nor is Benefits and Counseling Branch involvement applicable in this case.

11. None.

12. Agent has served in the U.S. Army, is not now eligible for induction.

13. Spouse is not witting and not clearable.

D. Operational Information

1. Type of Operation. FI. Duration is indefinite. Should be considered a penetration asset of a hostile propaganda establishment, rather than of an organized hostile intelligence service. No one, other than those indicated, are to be made witting.

2. Location: The Agent is to reside in London, with a possible alternative of Rome.

3. The Agent should be free to visit Cuba, all European countries, West Africa and E. Africa (particularly Tanzania) as well as North Vietnam and China. Impossible to anticipate the times or duration of such visits, which will, however, be at his (and our) control.

4. Special groups Agent should be able to contact: Not applicable.

5. Approximately $2,500 to $3,000.

6. Not applicable.

7. Communications channels desired: None.

8. Cover Suggestions: None not already expressed in previous documents prepared by CA Staff in identifying the cover mechanism and requesting IOP approval.

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II The arrangement between the cover firm and QRHBONY/1 should be on the basis of a regular subvention to QRHBONY/1 to act as a foreign stringer contributing feature-type material to the press service. An agreement having been ostensibly entered into by QRHBONY/1 and the cover firm during the former's trip to the U.S. (expected around 20 July), a regular monthly check should be forwarded to QRHBONY/1 by the cover firm, along with any correspondence it may see fit (suggestions for pieces to write, comments on pieces received etc.)

III The following steps are proposed to set this cover in motion:

A. At a meeting on 6 July, QRHBONY/1 will be instructed to write a number of U.S. news media organizations stating that he expects to travel to the U.S. shortly, describing his news background and indicating he would be interested in developing some outlets for his writing. The cover organization is one of those addresses.

B. CIA's contact in the cover organization receives this letter and, pursuant to our direction, writes an answer stating 1) what his firm does, 2) that it would be very interested in handling QRHBONY/1's product if it seems to fit the needs and 3) that it would be ready to reimburse some of QRHBONY/1's expenses if he could come to Chicago to discuss the matter further.

C. QRHBONY/1 does not meet the contact in the cover organization. He is briefed to offer the story, on his return, that he had entered into a regular arrangement with the cover firm to produce feature material usable by the cover firm (not specifying the frequency) in return for which he is to receive a monthly retainer.

D. Any letter QRHBONY/1 may later wish to send to the cover firm should be given to us in copy preferably before it is sent.

E. Copies of any correspondence initiated by the cover firm should be made available to CIA and, particularly, to the Project Case Officer.

James M. Murphy
Chief, CA/CP

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Plans

VIA: Chief, CCS/NC

SUBJECT: Request for Approval for Operational Use of U.S. Free-Lance Writer - QREBONY/1

1. This memorandum submits a recommendation for your approval pursuant to CSI 240-6, 10 January 1963, paragraph 6, governing operational involvement of personalities in the field of journalism. This request concerns cover support for QREBONY/1, an asset currently handled by CA Staff, and involves the cooperation of Russell R. DeBow, a Chicago city official and proprietor of the Negro Press International Inc. QREBONY/1 was granted a POA on 23 May 1966, and a full operational approval is pending. The project under which he is handled was approved by Acting ADDP on 14 June 1966. Mr. DeBow was granted a Covert Security Approval on 19 April 1966.

2. QREBONY/1 is an American Negro expatriate journalist and author presently residing in London. He is the author of one novel and numerous contributions to a wide variety of publication, such as the Kenyon Review, Monthly Review, The Nation, The Liberator and others. He worked as a reporter for the Philadelphia Arro American in 1950, for Agence France Presse in 1959, for CBS in 1960 and, in Europe, for the now defunct, pro-Chinese magazine Revolution. As a result of broad contacts and acceptance among radical, pro-Chinese and Negro militant circles, he has offered valuable access to important targets spanning four continents, and has demonstrated considerable skill in elicitation and exploitation of contacts for intelligence purposes in the process. The immediate and paramount operational objective for this agent is to gain direct access to hostile political targets in North Viet Nam and China. The outstanding requirement to be met in support of this objective, and of his continued effective exploitation generally, is the development of a backstopped and viable explanation for at least a portion of his income, which presently derives almost exclusively from clandestine CIA support. The proposal outlined below represents the conclusion of considerable research, including an interview with Mr. DeBow, to identify suitable cover arrangements which would make possible this explanation.

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3. Mr. DeBow, a lawyer, is an Administrative Assistant to the Mayor of Chicago as well as a long time, if casual, contact of Domestic Contacts Service. His background includes assignment to the Intelligence Division of the Chicago police and cooperation with CIA in the course of a trip to Africa in 1961. Mr. DeBow also is part owner and in effective control of a very small feature syndicate in Chicago, the Negro Press International, Inc., which distributes rewritten news to Negro newspapers in the United States on a subscription basis.

4. On 20 June 1966, Mr. DeBow was approached by representatives of CA Staff and Central Cover Staff, acknowledging CIA connection, and interviewed with a view to determining the feasibility of using his service to backstop modest payments to QREBONY/1 for real or ostensible contributions of feature stories and reporting. (Since the contact was made to develop information pertinent to the present request for DDP approval, the interview was conducted on a hypothetical basis: QREBONY/1's identity was not revealed nor were any commitments entered into.) This conversation, despite its limitation, demonstrated clearly that such an arrangement involving Mr. DeBow and his firm would be practical from Mr. DeBow's point of view and well suited to the needs of the QREBONY Project. Mr. DeBow grasped the problem involved and suggested various means by which he could plausibly implement a cover arrangement should this be our decision. He was made aware of and understood the incongruity between his and QREBONY/1's ostensible political positions, and stated that this need offer no impediment to creation of the type of relationship which would be involved. The nature of Mr. DeBow's feature service and its modest size clearly enhance its usefulness and appropriateness for our objectives. Mr. DeBow, in conclusion, expressed his agreement in principle to participate in this cover support activity should CIA, on further review of its needs, decide to proceed with a request for his cooperation.

5. In the light of the very favorable response from Mr. DeBow and the determination, from reviewing the outlines of his operation, that it would be a uniquely appropriate backstopping for QREBONY/1, your approval is requested to recontact Mr. DeBow and establish with him suitable cover

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arrangements for this purpose.

for CORD MEYER, JR.
Chief
Covert Action Staff

RECOMMEND APPROVAL:

Chief, CCS/KC

APPROVED:

AA DDP 30 June '66

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27 JUN 1966

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Finance

VIA: Contract Personnel Division

SUBJECT: QREBONY/1 - Amendment of Memorandum of Oral Commitment

1. The Memorandum of Oral Commitment with QREBONY is amended effective 15 June 1966 to provide indemnification in the amount of $10,000 in case of death, and payment of $600 per month up to $10,000 to his wife in case of total incapacitation or disappearance.

2. It is anticipated that a trip planned for late summer or early fall will take QREBONY into VC controlled areas of South Vietnam, North Vietnam, and China. Indemnification is intended to apply to death or disability resulting from air accident, act of war, or for disappearance.

3. Without being able to specify the possible circumstances, it is intended that such indemnification as outlined above be deemed to apply to loss of life or functions suffered by QREBONY as a direct result of his KUBARK relationship during the trip. Such indemnification, if made, must be presented to his widow by a cover mechanism which would hide KUBARK involvement.

Signed Thomas Mc Kinley

Thomas Mc Kinley
CA Staff Contract Approving Officer

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Chief, KUDESK; Chief, EUR

FROM
Chief of Station, Paris/LCPIPIT

SUBJECT: DTDORIC/Operational
QRPREY/QREBONY/Photo of QREBONY/1 and Contact

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

Forwarded under separate cover is a photograph of QREBONY/1 with one of his contacts.

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PROVISIONAL OPERATIONAL APPROVAL

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, CA/CF - James Murphy	NUMBER: 201 - [illegible]052
	SUBJECT: QRBBONY/1
	REFERENCE: Your Memorandum, Dated 10 February 1966 - jab

A Provisional Operational Approval is granted for the use of this Subject as set forth below.

A Provisional Operational Approval issued by CI Staff grants the same authority, on a temporary basis, for the use of an individual as the authority granted in an Operational Approval unless otherwise specified by CI/OA. It is based, however, only on preliminary file checks and investigation and is subject to a further final review when all investigation is completed.

(1) POA is granted to utilize Subject in an international context to exploit his contacts and/or associations with a wide variety of personalities and organizations (particularly Cuban and Chinese) engaged in "anti-imperialist" propaganda operations. Subject will be expected to renew his old relationships and expand his circle of contacts with Afro-Asian national liberation leaders, pro Chinese Communist, and similar personalities and to report general political and biographic material relative to the interests, activities and plans of such individuals and their organizations.

(2) Requirements passed to Subject will be confined, insofar as it is operationally feasible, to instructions for the refinement and completeness of the reporting he is capable of providing from his normal intercourse with source personalities. Disclosure of classified information will be held to a minimum, he will not be given operational assignments supporting or servicing other KUBARK operations, nor will he participate directly and/or wittingly in the spotting and/or recruitment of other agents.

(3) In addition to this background, certain of Subject's past statements and behavior are inconsistent with, and give rise to an uncertainty about, the nature and degree of his presently professed motivations and loyalties. It is impossible to resolve this uncertainty with the knowledge now available. At the present time, therefore, it is believed that his bona fides have not been established to an extent which would warrant handling him in any way than "at arms length".

To process the Operational Approval, full information (completed PRQ Parts I and II) must be submitted as soon as possible and not later than six (6) months from this date. An Operational Approval will follow when all investigation is completed and upon the receipt of satisfactory PRQ Parts I and II. Cancellation must be requested if use of Subject by interested Divisions ceases.

/s/ Edward P. Brown

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(4) This case has been discussed in detail on several occasions between representatives of CI/OA, CI/ICG, and CA/CE and there is agreement that it is primarily because of Subject's background and contacts that he is of interest and, therefore, it is believed, if he is handled with circumspection, the possible benefits to be derived justify the security risks involved in the use of Subject within the limits set forth above.

(5) Polygraph is recommended at least once a year.

/s/ Edward P. Brown

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TO: Chief of Station, London (ATTN. KATZEN[illegible])

INFO.: Chief, KUWOLF

FROM: Chief of Station, Paris (LCPIPIT)

SUBJECT: DYDORIC/Operational
QRPREY/QREBONY

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

Ref: OELA 45254

1. At his 6 April meeting with RODIGAST, QREBONY/1 pointed out that his brother-in-law (the accountant) still thinks that QREBONY receives regular income from an American radio or news feature service, paid through Switzerland, and undeclared for tax reasons (QREBONY's and the American company's taxes).

2. RODIGAST thought that if the brother-in-law finds this story hard to believe he may guess that QREBONY is really working for KUBARK and may have passed this information on to the British. Thus he would be the source of the story relayed in reference.

3. At the same meeting, on another subject, RODIGAST asked QREBONY whether he had ever told anyone pointblank that he (QREBONY) is a Chicom agent. He said that he never had. RODIGAST broke in: "or the agent of any other country, including ODYOKE?" QREBONY said he had not.

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FROM: Chief of Station, Paris/LCPIPIT

SUBJECT: DTDORIC/Operational
QRPREY/QREBONY/QREBONY/1's New Contact, Carole Piña

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

1. We are manifesting reports and correspondence concerning QREBONY/1's new contact, Carole Piña, an American, age 31, born in New York City (possibly Bronx County), whose father's last name was Appel or Appell. Her husband's name is Carlos Piña (Mexican), but she is separated from him and he is seeking a divorce. She holds US passport, No. D633873, issued 5 August 1963 in New York; it comes up for renewal in August (at which time she expects to be in Rome). She is afraid that her having traveled to Cuba in 1964 with a Progressive Labor delegation will hurt her chances of getting a renewal of her passport.

2. Subject had been having a series of political and amorous affairs during her stay in Dar, and was in serious trouble when Q met her. After rejecting Dennis Phombeah's advances, she was in serious danger of being declared a prohibited immigrant; Q befriended her, and he and Colman Ferrer of the Cuban Embassy (who had been having an affair with her) saw that she got out of Dar safely. Q was to meet her in Cairo (but in fact had no intention of doing so) and later caught up with her in Rome. She indicated a desire to work with Q (without quite knowing for whom she would be working--he hinted rather broadly to her that he was in cahoots with "our friends in the East," but it will be noted that in one of her letters there is this disarming phrase: she warns him about how to deal with certain persons and adds: "Be cool with them--do not show your true colors (whatever they are)").

3. Q seized on the opportunity of using subject as an unwitting informant and eventually agent on the same basis. She submitted to an interview on tape in a Rome hotel room which lasts about 2-1/4 hours, in which Q debriefs her on her knowledge of every Tanzanian, liberation movement, or Bloc personality with whom she had contact, and in view of her attractiveness and willingness she knew quite a few. (She had some amusing run-ins with ODYOKE personnel in Dar, which we shall edit out of the tape only for a fee.)

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4. Q feels that she is emotionally unstable--his firmness in dealing with her, his making it clear he was not out for her body, have made him a guardian and true friend. She seems to be a good political reporter, understanding her own (confused) political yearnings and where her various contacts stand; she also seems to have a good memory for details. Q says that her "anti-revisionism" is incipient anti-Communism. He could eventually recruit her as an ODYOKE witting agent, but that would take a lot of time and trouble; with much less effort he could effect a false-flag recruitment, and indeed, he has already done this on an informal basis by making it clear that he was collecting material for his Chicom friends. She would undertake further assignments for him. He actually asked her, "Suppose I asked you to go somewhere, would you go?" To which she replied, "If it's not cold." It is unlikely, however, that she would be able to return to Dar because of Phombeah's hostility. Wherever she goes, her main asset will be her physical attraction.

5. She could be debriefed further on any point raised in the tape interview. The ideal would be to have the questions by the time Q goes to Rome in the second half of April, but this does not seem to be a likely possibility.

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FROM: Chief of Station, London

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Ref: LOND 2425, 2 March 1966

1. A number of lengthly and fruitful discussions have been held with JAGUAR officers regarding our continued running of QREBONY in the U.K. Their comments on the quality of QREBONY's reporting ha~~ve~~s been reported from time to time. Similarly, we will not dwell here on the mechanical arrangements we have evolved (with SMOTH's agreement) to expedite the passage of information to JAGUAR, on the one hand, and avoid duplicate reporting (prinicpally by passing the same materials as CS dissems to SMOTH) on the other hand. Suffice it here to say that achieving both of these goals, without compromising QREBONY as a source throughout both JAGUAR and SMOTH (due largely to the wide range of areas he reports on), is a complex problem. We think we have reached a mutually satisfactory arrangement for achieving both aims.

2. What we are concerned with here, then, is JAGUAR's permission for us to run QREBONY from here, for the time being at least. The exact phrasing from JAGUAR's letter, agreeing to our request is: "With regard to the continued use of QREBONY by your service on a temporary basis while he remains in this country we have no objection to this provided we are kept fully informed of as much detail as possible."

3. JAGUAR pointed out that QREBONY operates in the same areas as some of JAGUAR's own agents, and this necessitates a fair amount of frankness regarding his activities in the U.K. We have made every effort to date to display to them that frankness. In return, JAGUAR has been cooperative, if not downright helpful. In one of our discussions, SMILL confidentially stated that one of their sources had quoted a sub-source as saying that QREBONY had admitted tohim that he is a KUBARK agent. We assured JAGUAR that QREBONY is under instructions not to reveal his KUBARK relationship, of course; that QREBONY is not supposed to be recruiting any sub-agents and has not done so; that the remark could well have been made in jest, in reference to the charges levelled against QREBONY three years ago (or longer). We told JAGUAR that it would obviously be advantageous for us to know to whom QREBONY is alleged to have made the statement, and we would be grateful if JAGUAR could tell us. We have repeated this request in writing, but with no reply to date. SMILL stated at the time that he had doubts about whether they could identify to us the person who had made the statement; he was sure that they could not go back to their agent for elaboration without showing an undue interest in QREBONY. We may yet hear who the person was. All this is repeated here merely to indicate how far JAGUAR will go to be helpful, and how far, to date, they will <u>not</u> go.

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4. This, then, reflects the state of our relations with JAGUAR as it relates to QREBONY. We trust that this will be of value to Headquarters and LCPIPIT in planning QREBONY's future.

George H. KATZENBACH

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Central Cover Staff

SUBJECT: Cover Arrangements for QREBONY/1

This memorandum contains information solicited by CCS to implement cover arrangements, already proposed by CA Staff and approved by DDP, involving Russell R. deBow of Chicago and CA Staff asset QREBONY/1. It is keyed to the headings set forth in the "Nonofficial Cover Request for Individual, Headquarters Edition."

A. General Information

1. QREBONY/1 (previously carried as STEBONY). No previous request has officially been forwarded for cover support.

2. Currently a Contract Agent. Currently compensated at the rate of $7,200 per year with a $1200 nonaccountable allowance.

3. Agent has not nor will be reviewed by the Agency's medical psychiatric assessment and evaluations Staff. He is already overseas and will remain there.

4. The Agent uses a complex of related cover stories, based primarily on exaggerated implications of fact: Namely, that his income derives from free-lance journalism and money available from his wife's family. Some quarters suspect or believe that he may possess funds from the CPR, but this has never been alleged by the Agent himself.

5. Agent is available now for cover.

6. Agent is overseas.

7. QREBONY Project.

B. Biographic Information

1. DPOB: 13 May 1931, Los Angeles, California; M; Negro; None; U.S.; No prior citizenship; Married; 3 children; 30 Stockleigh Hall, Prince Albert Road, London NW 8.

2. Adult and minor dependents are already in place and sharing the same residence. No readily available biographic information. He has 2 sons and one daughter, ranging in age from one to ten years.

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3. BA Kenyon College 1950; Foreign graduate study 1951-52.

4. Reporter, Philadelphia Afro American 1950; Miscellaneous: public relations--Italian Film Exports 1951; 1952-54 U.S. Army; 1957-58 Agence France Presse, Paris; 1960-61 CBS news, New York.

5. N.A.

6. Perceptive, aggressive but effective in personal relationships, literate.

7. Agent has fairly sizeable, but not pressing, debts to his in-laws. He lives modestly within his income from us.

8. Has resided only in U.S., Algiers, Paris and London, although he has travelled widely in other areas.

9. Fluent in French, competent in Italian and Spanish, and can read German.

C. Security Considerations

1. Agents has been receiving CA support for 13 months. POA granted 23 May 1966 with caution requiring care in view of the considerable derogatory information developed as a result of the Agents'past association with left-wing and radical organizations.

2. Agent is aware of U.S. intelligence interest, has not been explicitly apprised of CIA involvement but no doubt suspects it.

3. Agent has never entered any installations associated with CIA.

4. There is no U.S. identification of the Agent with CIA outside of Staff personnel. British intelligence (see paragraph 5 below). His wife (whose family resides in England) is unwitting.

5. The Agent is known in true name to the MI-5 and MI-6 of the United Kingdom.

6. None. It should be noted that the contemplated cover will not be a relationship which the Agent (any more than the cover) will proclaim or flaunt, given the fact that in his highly anti-American circle, such a connection would be regarded as unsavory. The purpose of the cover is to backstop the Agent's story that he receives income from hack journalism which he keeps separate from his "real" if unrewarding involvement with radical politics.

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TO: Chief, KUWOLF

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FROM: Chief of Station, Paris/LCPIPIT

SUBJECT: DTDORIC/Operational Assessment of QREBONY/1

ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES

Ref: OFLW-1494

1. Forwarded herewith is a 6-1/2 page answer by RODIGAST to the questions posed in reference. If any further clarification is required by Headquarters, please advise.

2. With regard to QREBONY/1's overt tax return, it has been determined that declarations must be filed by all citizens with over $600 income. If it turns out that QREBONY/1 cannot justify a $600 income from overt sources, and we think he cannot, he simply has no declaration to file and will be advised to so state to the Embassy.

Karen H. ZAFFARESI

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A. QRLBONY/1 (Q) gives the convincing impression that he is at home in his new work. He responds well to suggestions and instructions, adds suggestions of his own for improving the plan-- an indication that he wishes to please. In the beginning he showed a tendency to raise minor objections involving personal material problems (e.g., inconvenience to family life of a long tdy) but less of this was remarked as he came to realize that requirements were to be reasonable and he was to be treated as a human being with his own problems.

He has stated that he would not continue his present involvement with target personalities and institutions if it were not that we wish him to, i.e., his own inclination would be to withdraw from the political fringe. Rodigast feels that this is consistent with his background, which was not a party career; in his youth he was willfully apolitical and hostile to the "movement"; later he was involved in opposing party people in his New York work; in Paris he didn't get along with his party friends (the affair of the forged letter) and of course broke with the magazine crowd there.

He seems to be genuinely committed to working against enemies of ODYOKE, ready to accept even deeper commitment; he has expressed no reservations as to what he will do. He doesn't object to reporting on old friends, fellow PBPRIMERS, et al. He raised no objection to FLUTTER, or using s/w techniques (which he took with him on a trip to what was then a very hostile area, where he had known enemies, and where there was a recent history of dealing roughly with outsiders). When orders conflict with personal desires (for example, when he planned to spend a weekend in a city he enjoys but was told he should proceed immediately to his next stopping place), he obeys without hesitation.

The foregoing is a collection of miscellaneous facts, but taken together they paint the portrait of a promising agent, both in terms of motivations and abilities.

B. Rodigast's knowledge of Q's attitude in the months prior to recruitment (June 1965) is limited. Rodigast has the impression Q had simply reached the end of his rope-- he had nowhere to go, he had earlier decided that he would like to work for or at least cooperate with ODYOKE (although earlier attempts to make contact met with no success). The humane treatment received at the hands of his recruiter, the subsequent sympathetic handling by his case officer, undoubtedly convinced him that he had not made a mistake.

The material factor is not to be underestimated. The demoralizing position of living on his wife and worse, on her family, must have lowered his resistance to any possible alternative. Rodigast simply doesn't know how Q might have responded to a reasonable offer from enemies of ODYOKE at that point. The prospect of immediate engagement at a decent wage may have been decisive.

Since that time, Rodigast feels Q's motivation has been reinforced and perhaps considerably altered: he has been asked to do obviously necessary tasks, and so he can feel he is needed by someone; he has been given reasonable instructions on how to accomplish them; he sees that others are concerned for his personal safety and material wellbeing. Rodigast has taken pains to avoid giving the impression that there was any confusion or error or difference of viewpoint in running the project (even at a time when there were plenty of all three); such problems were

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resolved before being taken up with Q, and thus he has a somewhat rosy view of the operation. The satisfaction of accomplishment (i.e., being able to produce useful answers to our questions) is surely a factor in his present attitude.

Though light-skinned, with a voice and accent which would be considered acceptable in any PBPRIME society, Q is extremely sensitive to the fact that he is a Negro. He has not said or suggested any such thing to Rodigast, but this is so obvious a factor in his correspondence (even discounting the extent to which the correspondence is part of his conscious cover) that it seems to Rodigast that it must be a factor in his life. On the other hand, Rodigast has known another Negro who was a close friend of Q (and now one of his major enemies, as a result of the Paris forged letter incident and contributing events) who was so sensitive about race that he makes Q in retrospect seem like an Uncle Tom.

Still, Rodigast does not believe Q could be handled by someone who is not genuinely a "nigger lover", i.e., who could not convey a convincing image of a person for whom a color difference was not a barrier (Q would surely detect the false "pal"). Q has mentioned anti-Negro prejudice as a reason for his refusal to cooperate with ODENVY officers who talked to him while he was in New York. In fact, Q deals with his present case officer as a possible if not a true friend; they share an interest and involvement in writing, English literature, living happily abroad, etc.; Rodigast has tried to read Dante in the original and Q has done so; Rodigast would like to write a novel and Q has published one; Rodigast doesn't know much about the post-logical positivists who interest Q but probably gives a convincing impression that he would like to know about them, and just might be capable of understanding them. What all the foregoing means is that in Q we have an accomplished person, and it is a useful tactic to treat him if not as a superior than at the very least as an equal.

There remains the possibility that opportunistic reasons are primary: Q joined the organization and stayed with us because he could not do as well in any other job, could in fact get no job (because of his background, his alien status abroad, etc). Rodigast does not exclude this, although he feels that whatever the original motivation, it has been strengthened and perhaps converted into something more worthy. But even if his primary motivation <u>remains</u> material, the history of the project over its first nine months suggest it is a viable one.

C. Q has lived in the underground for so many years without breaking that it is likely he will be able to continue to do so. He thinks fast, handles himself well in matters presenting security problems. He is not fully trained for clandestine activity. Rodigast's long meetings with him always include advice on one or more specific aspects of clandestine work, which when added yp may be taken to represent a short course, but that is all. The lack of training has led Q to do or say things which Rodigast would not have wished him to do or say, and whenever possible this has been brought to Q's attention, and he seems responsive to such instruction.

Rodigast would not recommend that Q be given a training course, but this would not preclude more formal sessions with Rodigast during which Rodigast could give more complete instruction on various phases of clandestine work.

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Q gives the impression of not being easily moved. He has already survived violent attacks, questioning by legislative committees and police (including abroad), public denunciation; now that he has KUBARK as a friend he should resist at least as well as before. One negative trait is his need to take revenge for injury, and this tendency must be controlled; his instinct to be spiteful to an enemy could conflict with a longer-range plan.

It is to be hoped that the present situation regarding his wife (who believes him to be working for the arch foe of PBPRIME) will be possible to maintain. She doesn't like the situation much, but accepts it, and apparently hasn't betrayed his "confidence". If he is moved to another city which both Q and his wife would consider agreeable (Rome) she would probably be even happier and less likely to revolt, especially if a quarters allowance helped them get out of their present financial straits (they can pay rent and buy food but not save or repay debts— so his wife says he is doing an unpleasant thing without even being able to say they are better off than they were in Paris). If he were sent to a less agreeable place for six months or a year (say Dar) he would want to settle his wife in a desirable place (London but preferably Rome) for the children's schooling; here too her attitude would depend on their material position and on the possibility of his being able to visit on occasion (if he were in Dar, say, and she in Rome, he would return for visits— which would also be cover for his meetings with his case officer). Rodigast recommends that once in place, Q's basic wage be raised (as promised in June 1965) from $600 to $800, but that he also receive quarters and if possible an educational allowance.

D. Q says he is a local PBPRIMER. He now does act like one. Rodigast feels the evidence for his loyalty is at least as good as it is for most other PBPRIMERS he knows. Early in their relationship (probably mid-June 1965 in Paris) Q had said he had turned away from the revolutionary movement and toward his own country; even though there were opportunistic reasons for him to have done so, he is seemingly not anti-PBPRIME. His views on Negro problems in PBPRIME probably have not changed, but he never was a black nationalist, and has many friends, besides his wife, who are white). He might not agree with ODYOKE policy in Vietnam, Cuba, or elsewhere-- he obviously has not been questioned on his personal beliefs— but his dissent, if dissent there be, is not disloyalty, and in any case should not prevent him from executing KUBARK policy to the letter. Undoubtedly he has a leftist economic orientation, but there is no evidence that it is an orthodox Marxist one (or that it ever was).

He seems to like Rodigast; in any event they work well together. He has made no effort to develop a warm relationship with Rodigast, however, apparently feeling that this is not necessary, might not be appreciated, and would conflict with the compartmentalization so obviously kept in force by Rodigast (who hasn't told Q his true name, address, marital status, or any other personal fact which might lead to identifying him). Seemingly Q does not believe the name which Rodigast used at their introduction was a true name, for he didn't bother to remember it (the last name), and all this would tend to discourage the building up of a personal friendship.

It is probable that he respects rather than scorns KUBARK for its decent treatment of him. KUBARK through Rodigast has always kept its promises, Rodigast has never been a minute late for a meeting (Q has

rarely been a minute or two late, and in recent meetings--presumably because he feels that Rodigast's never-failing appearance on the precise second of the meeting must mean that this is required KUBARK practice-- he has been even more precise. Rodigast is always ready with a suggested solution to a security or other problem which will be faced by Q in carrying out a new assignment.

On the other hand, part of Q's satisfaction with KUBARK might derive from a feeling that KUBARK is a "soft touch". Rodigast does not recommend that anything be done to change Q's opinion (if he really does hold it); Rodigast feels that we are going to pay Q as much whether he likes us or doesn't, and for the same money we might as well make sure he likes us and will do his utmost for the organization rather than simply be a timeserver keeping up appearances. If given cause for resentment, his behavior is unpredictable, for he hasn't much to lose-- reputation for loyalty, good name, etc. One solution would be to give him enough so that he would indeed stand to lose much.

Q appears to possess a realitsic, sane view of ODYOKE, what its people are like, what can and can't be done by it. As already indicated, he seems to be as loyal a PBPRIMER as other people who don't give much thought to the matter, certainly a lot more loyal than his background would lead one to expect. In any case, we have no recent evidence to contradict his statement that he considers himself to be a loyal PBPRIMER; it may just be true. If it isn't, this won't make any difference to the project as it is understood by Rodigast.

Q is unlikely to hold sympathetic feelings for ODENVY, having had what he described as an unfortunate experience or two with them. On the other hand, he is sophisticated enough to assume that his reporting on PBPRIMERS is of concern to ODENVY, and he must know that his own suggestion for tdy in PBPRIME to contact target institutions and old friends there would put him into ODENVY territory. He would probably accept any necessary collaboration without showing that he didn't like it.

E. Rodigast does not believe Q is at present working for another service, but it is difficult to know what would happen if another service approached him. Rodigast assumes he would report this to us, just as he reported in detail the overtures by two persons apparently working with the services of the country in which he resides. As part of the present operation involves the possibility that Q will in fact be approached by the opposition, and Q is aware of this, one assumes he is prepared to remain loyal to KUBARK; one would also assume he would recognize the heightened value of his services to us should he be approached by the other side and continue to remain loyal to us.

Q certainly would not agree to work for an opposition service for peanuts, but if offered a considerable sum of money (given that he just breaks even in his present arrangement with us, in the thinking of Q's wife), there is no telling what he would do. When recruited, Q was told he would get a raise once he got settled "in place" (to $800), and when this promise is kept he will have enough extra money to begin to pay debts and buy clothing, and thus have more concrete evidence of the material advantages of his present arrangement.

Rodigast would be very surprised if Q agreed to work for an opposition service not for financial reasons but through ideology.

Q likes to live well. He believes in wearing good clothes, staying in good hotels, being able to invite others out for food and

drink. He says that in the revolutionary movement poverty is no virtue, but merely indicates lack of influence. He says that the most popular persons are those who can dispense money, alcohol, and women. This may well be true. It is certainly true that such a role would please Q immensely (that is, having a plush apartment in which he could entertain target personalities, satisfying KUBARK's requirements and his personal desires).

F. Q must be dealt with firmly, with continued serving of requirements and planned itineraries for trips. At the same time, it is obvious that he improvises well when left without instructions; he is versatile, and can create situations which will result in an intelligence product. Rodigast's method is to suggest reasonable plans and to be ready to show that they can be implemented, and how they can, anticipating objections.

While there is no evidence that if left alone Q would drift, dragging out an assignment to fill time, it is possible that he would. He has not written as many free-lance articles as Rodigast would have liked him to, because each requires thinking out a subject, gathering material, selecting a point of view and thinking of the public to which it would be addressed-- a lot of work for articles meant to serve mainly as cover, for publication in obscure organs, or perhaps merely to be used to convince editors that he was active. On the other hand, he produced the first issue of the newsletter in record time, following instructions to the letter (indeed, accepting what must at times seem like petty editorial changes made by Rodigast). Perhaps he produced the latter so efficiently because he saw in it added prestige, an opportunity to get his name back before the public in a respectable context.

Ideological motivation would not seem to be a level of control in his case. What is most important is his contentment with being (he hopes) a permanent part of a large organization, with a steady salary (he has never said this, of course); the power of ODYOKE is less important than its known reputation for keeping its promise to pay, something one doesn't find among the opposition groups known to Q, and he finds new examples of this daily.

Doubtless, his tendency to bear a grudge is a factor here-- Q is now in a position where he can thumb his nose at some of his enemies.

Rodigast feels that considerate dealing with Q, letting him know where he is going, what he can expect, not changing the rules abruptly or pulling a rug from under his feet, letting him see the possibility of small but certain increases in material benefits in the course of his career, compose the ideal formula for handling him. In the course of time, the ideological factor, which is perhaps marginal at this time, would probably be reinforced, could one way be a major factor. Q, meanwhile, must feel that the persons who deal with him are concerned with his material wellbeing and also of his physical safety, appreciating the risks in his work and understanding that not all assignments will bear fruit. Our relationship with Q could be destroyed very rapidly if we failed to pay him as promised, or wasted his time with make-work, or came him confusing or contradictory instructions which suggested that KUBARK was not the all-powerful institution he may now think it is.

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G. Very early in our relationship Q said that he would like to make a career in KUBARK, outside now, perha s inside some day. He would work in PBPRIME or abroad. There was no indication then, and has been none since, that he regards the present relationship as a distasteful one to be terminated as soon as conditions permit.

He would like to settle in en expatriate's paradise, such as Paris or Rome, presumably involved in journalism and other writing. If he could do these things in connection with his work for us, so much the better.

H. Q is conscious of the need for security and handles himself well— as well as an amateur could in this context. But he is far more naive about techniques and especially the nuances of technique than Rodigast would have expected in one who had been involved in the revolutionary movement for so long. He often needs instruction on obvious points, and responds quite well to it, the exception being his clumsy handling of the s/w method-- he is an intellectual and not a technician, and Rodigast assumes that he (Rodigast) would not do much better if forced to use some technical system.

Q is quite observant. He will recall a personal remark made to him by Rodigast from one month to the next. His reports written some time after the event are thorough and apparently accurate.

He read A Spy and His Master by Christopher Felix, and has mentioned it a couple of times when a remark by Rodigast reminds him of something said in the book.

Rodigast doesn't think that even after training Q would be very good at throwing off surveillance (for example) as he seems too matter of fact to be sly, and perhaps slightly lazy about what might be gratuitous behavior (e.g., changing subway trains or taxis just on the assumption that someone might be following him). Rodigast's solution is not to depend on Q for such things, but to attempt to plan meeting and stage other operations so as to minimize the need for dependence on Q's skill in such areas. After patient briefing Q does understand the need for tradecraft efficiency, and as already noted he follows the advice.

I. At first Q qas quite concerned about money— he needed an advance for clothes, for travel, etc. His requests were really plaints, and he may have left the impression that he thinks of nothing but money. It was the complex of a poor boy who never had anyone he could turn to— despite a scholarship he had to leave a fine college after a brilliant freshman year. Once he received his advance and began receiving his money at the beginning rather than at the end of each month, and when he realized that he would receive complete and prompty reimbursement of expenses, he began to relax. Now he submits accountings without himself totalling the figures or keeping his own record (Rodigast knows this for he has seen Q's notes), so he must rely on us to tell him how much he claimed for (even Rodigast would never do that). He is, in sum, relaxed.

The same ease is to be noted in his substantive work; he submits his reports knowing he has done his best, and done well; he accepts compliments with a very slight nod. When Rodigast first met Q in a hotel room, Q had something of the hunted man. He still seems harried, slightly nervous at the moment of contact, but on the whole he is more sure of himself.

At the outset, Q would argue about assignments, suggesting alternatives, worrying about not having time to buy tickets, or enough money to pay for them. Now he accepts instructions without a murmur,

even when they contradict a previous tentative plan. His excellent response to instructions may be his desire to please, his satisfaction with his job, or personal pride in accomplishment. Whatever the reason or reasons, the fact is that he does respond well.

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It would prove very useful to us--both as a contribution to the preparation of the Project Outline now in progress and as a backgrounder for possible discussions of QREBONY's operational utilization--if RODIGAST could provide us with an interpretive assessment of him based on the impressions and judgements he has been able to develop over the past months. We have some such initial assessments, of course, and can infer more from current reporting. However, we would like to get the benefit of RODIGAST's unique and direct contact, now that QREBONY has passed through a breaking-in phase and settled down in a regular relationship which, at its inception, is certainly a difficult one for most people to adjust to. We would suggest the following outline of topics for RODIGAST to follow:

A. Estimate of loyalty to ODYOKE and QREBONY's psychological adjustment--his comfortableness--in working for ODYOKE clandestinely: his attitude, as RODIGAST can infer it, toward targets hostile to ODYOKE: in short, his ideological motivation.

B. Estimate of his motivation generally: his personal reasons for association with KUBARK.

C. Psychological suitability and staying power in leading a "double life". Possible or actual strains on him by virtue of his wife's attitude. Qualms about the "morality" of his position or fears about being found out.

D. His own views of his patriotism or loyalty. His attitude toward RODIGAST, KUBARK, ODYOKE and ODENVY.

E. His susceptability to approach or control by an opposition service.

F. Methods of control to which he is mort, and least, responsive. What represents the effective lever of his control--internal ideological

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motivation? financial need? resentments? a desire to identify himself with ODYOKE's power? or some combination of these?

G. His longer range plans, if any.

H. His security consciousness--i.e. his efficiency in tradecraft.

I. Any changes in his attitudes or personality which RODIGAST has detected over the period of their association.

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